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GREAT PACIFIC AIR WAR NEARS

GREATEST ONE-DAY ADVANCE RECORDED ON OKINAWA FRONT

CHINEN PENINSULA SEALED OFF, BATTLE THROUGH DRENCHING RAINS

By HAMILTON W. FARON

GUAM, June 4.—(AP)—In the greatest one day advance in the Okinawa campaign, American infantrymen splashed two miles through drenching rains yesterday to the southeastern shore of the island, sealing off Chinen peninsula which forms the southern arm of the finest fleet anchorage in the southern approaches to Japan.

Tokyo broadcasts quoted "unconfirmed reports" that U. S. amphibious assault units landed near the eastern tip of the peninsula to catch isolated Nipponese troops in a two-way trap while a fleet of more than 40 vessels moved into the anchorage—Nakagusuku Bay.

Three other fleets, including two task forces which reappeared after an absence of ten days, were reported by Tokyo to be in Okinawan waters.

Japanese propagandists told of suicide plane attacks on a heavily escorted convoy of "about 40 transports" moving past Oroku peninsula on the wes tcoast, where other Yanks were arrayed today for a smashing drive on Naha airfield, the best in the Ryukyu insands. In a two hour "ramming assault," Tokyo said one unidentified craft was set afire.

Two-Mile Push.

The two-mile push through oozing red mud to the southern shores of Okinawa was made on 64th day of the campaign by Maj. Gen. Archibald V. Arnold's Seventh infantry division. Other elements of the division drove into Chinen peninsula itself where Japanese soldiers complicated the American assault by milling around abong thousands of civilians.

Associated Press War Correspondent A. T. Dopking reported that some front line officers predicted the next 48 hours would tell whether disorganized Japanese remnants could be reformed into effective fighting forces.

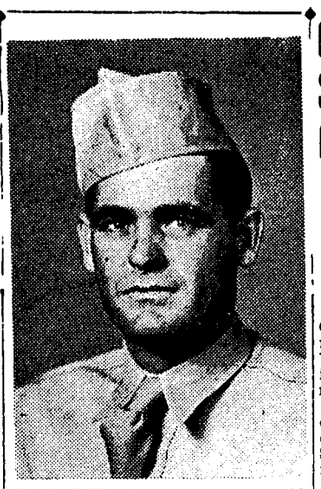
On the north shore of Chinen peninsula Nipponese with mortars and machine guns put up such a fight U. S. infantrymen called on a rocket boat to break up the enemy concentration.

Advances Rapid.

Surprisingly rapid advances were reported through the quagmires in the central area by both air-supplied First Marine and 96th infantry divisions. Some Japanese were knocked out in a bayonet charge but others killed themselves with grenades.

Meanwhile, Adm. William F. Halsey Jr's carrier pilots attacked Japanese Kamikaze (suicide) plane bases on Kyushu Saturday and yesterday. The carrier pilots destroyed a total of 22 Japanese planes and damaged 23.

The Japanese made their first strong attack in five days on American shipping off Okinawa. Okinawa-based fighters downed 26 attackers. Nimitz made no mention of possible damage to American shipping.



WOUNDED—Staff Sgt. Arthur M. Rea, Jr., was seriously wounded on Mindanao May 8, according to a message received from the War Department by his mother, Mrs. A. M. Rea, Corsicana, route 1. Sergeant Rea entered the service March 3, 1941, and served in the Carribbean area 24 months before going to the Pacific Theater eight months ago.

LEGISLATURE COMES NEARER DEADLINE IN BILL CONSIDERATION

NUMBER OF IMPORTANT BILLS EXPECTED TO DIE ON LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR

AUSTIN, June 4.—(AP)—The 49th Legislature come within 24 hours of its time for final adjournment with a number of controversial measures apparently dead as the result of the rule which forbids consideration of any but highly privileged matters in the last 24 hours of a session.

Among the bills so stymied in the senate was House Bill 12, the so-called anti-closed shop bill, and House Bill 48, a measure extending oil and gas leases on Tidewater state lands.

In its closing hours, the senate passed and returned to the house with amendments a proposed constitutional amendment providing for sale of public lands to war veterans.

The house-passed resolution calling for submission of this amendment provided that the legislature be authorized to issue $25,000,000 in bonds for administration by a veterans land board, to finance purchase of lands for re-sale to veterans.

The original proposition had called for investment of permanent school fund money in this project, but this aspect was eliminated by a house committee amendment. It was written back in by the senate, however, and the measure now goes to a free conference committee for an attempt to adjust the differences.

Last 24 Hours

The legislature may consider free conference committee reports only in the last 24 hours. Other matters may not be considered except by suspension of the rules on a four-fifths vote.

Before recessing for lunch the house disposed of many measures, finally completing action on some.

Concurrence in senate amendments sent to the governor's desk bills:

Establishing a state system of meat inspection designed to prohibit sale of meat unfit for human consumption. The act will be administered by the state health repartment.

Regulaing the sale and manufacture of remedies for livestock.

Increasing maximum weekly benefits under the unemployment compensation act from $15 to $18 and increasing the period in which benefits may be paid from 15 to 18 weeks.

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BIG WELCOME FOR GENERAL BRADLEY IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—(AP)—Philadelphia prepared today to give a thundering welcome to Generals Omar N. Bradley and Carl A. Spaatz.

The two generals with 50 other officers and enlisted men are scheduled to lead a triumphant victory parade through downtown Philadelphia and conduct a rally at historic Independence Hall.

With them will be Major Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe, commander of the heroic garrison at Bastogne, whose reply to a German demand that he surrender was: "Nuts!"

With General Bradley were Maj. Gen. Leland S. Hobbs, commander of the 30th Division, and other war heroes.

At a press conference shortly after their arrival in New York General Bradley said: "I can only tell you that Germany has been destroyed utterly and completely."

APPALLING NEGLECT FOUND IN ABANDONED JAPANESE POW CAMP

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY SKELETONS, MUMMIFIED BODIES LOCATED

By RICHARD BERGHOLZ

WITH U. S. 24th DIVISION AT DAVAO, Mindanao, P. I., June 2.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Officers examining the Davao penal colony abandoned by the Japanese reported today they found skeletons in hospital beds, on the porch and on an untended walk overgrown by wild squash. The neglect was so appalling they recommended that the status of 800 Allied soldiers listed as missing in action in the Philippines since Pearl Harbor be changed to "dead" or "prisoner of war."

Approximately 150 skeletons and mummified bodies have been found throughout the buildings and adjacent areas.

Many Are Americans.

Some of those have been identified as Filipinos but many are officially recorded as Americans.

Evidence has been obtained that the deaths were not caused by violence but by deliberate neglect and desertion. It is believed that when the Japanese withdrew from the coastal area of Davao to prepared positions in the mountains they took physically able prisoners and left the remainder to starve or die of disease.

Lt. Leonard S. Mendelson, Pittsburgh, Pa., who was one of the first to visit the area gave this account of the grisly scene:

"There are a number of wooden buildings. I went into one which I assumed to be the hospital. In a long wardroom, I saw two corpses. One was just a skeleton. It was either unclothed or the clothes had mildewed

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CHINESE DRIVE ON STRATEGIC LIUCHOW CONTINUES MONDAY

OTHER FORCES CLOSING ON SHAOYANG, ANOTHER FORMER AIR BASE

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, June 4.—(AP)—The Chinese drove last night within 28 miles of strategic Liuchow, former U. S. air base and Kwangsi province rail junction, the high command announced tonight.

In Hunan province, the armies of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek closed within five miles west of Shaovang (Paoching), another former base of the U. S. 14th air force. A second column closed Sunday within six miles northwest of the town.

The Chinese "are continuing their offensive," the communique added.

The important road center of Tsinkong (Chienkiang), 430 miles southeast of Chungking, fell to the Chinese.

The speed of the Chinese advance toward Liuchow underlined reports that the Japanese were withdrawing steadily. It was predicted confidently in Chungking that Liuchow, which Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault's fliers abandoned last Nov. 7, soon would revert to Chinese control.

Regain Old Lines.

The high command said the Chinese had regained lines held in Hunan province on April 9, when the Japanese started their abortive drive westward toward the American airbase at Chihkiang, 250 miles southeast of Chungking.

Striking at two major points along the lengthy north-south China front, Chinese troops threatened the big bomber strip at Liuchow, 53 miles northeast of Tsinkong, and the fighter base at Shaoyang (Paoching) to the northeast, 330 miles southeast of the Chinese capital.

The Chinese high command said Chinese troops were pursuing fleeing enemy forces toward Liuchow, which the Japanese appeared about

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TWO-WAY AMERICAN SURRENDER DRIVE IS WORRYING JAPANESE

RADIO CAMPAIGN AND PAMPHLETS TELL NIPPONESE BEST WAY OUT

By ROBBIN COONS

GUAM, June 4.—(AP)—A two-way American surrender campaign by radio, and a half million pamphlets rained daily from Superforts has brought a warning from Tokyo to the Japanese that just such propaganda brought the downfall of Germany and Italy.

Office of War Information broadcasts from Saipan daily stress that "unconditional surrender" does not mean enslavement or extermination of the Nipponese people.

The American propaganda campaign against the enemy military clique, accelerated to full scale in the last month along with stepped up Superfort fire raids, is accenting President Truman's call on the Japanese to surrender.

Apparent effectiveness of the campaign is indicated by the strong reaction of the enemy's radio propagandists.

President Truman's message promising destruction of enemy military power, but no "obliteration of the Japanese people or bondage" if they surrender, is being showered in Japan in the leaflets and is reiterated in broadcasts recorded in Washington, D. C. by Capt. Ellis M. Zacharias, former captain of the battleship New Mexico and cruiser Salt Lake City who spent several years in Japan as a naval language officer.

Zacharias' message "to responsible and thinking Japanese" recalls his 20 peacetime years as a friend of the Japanese people, his close

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Mysterious Blasts Wrecked Military Police Building

BREMEN, Germany, June 4.—(AP)—Two mysterious explosions wrecked the U. S. military government's police headquarters in Bremen today, killing at least 15 Americans and Germans and injuring 80 others.

An American public safety officer, Maj. E. Russel Kennedy, Jr., of Washington, D. C., said he believed the disaster was caused "by a delayed action bomb."

Incomplete military reports up to 5 p. m. listed the following casualties:

Three Americans and 12 Germans dead, their bodies recovered.

Two Americans and an unesti-

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CALL MASS MEETING WEDNESDAY NIGHT; 6 CASES POLIO LISTED

GENERAL CLEANUP CAMPAIGN WILL BE LAUNCHED HERE IMMEDIATELY

With one new case of poliomyelitis reported in this area over the week end, raising the total to six, health officials Monday accelerated plans for a fight to rid Corsicana and surrounding communities of this dread disease.

A mass meeting of Navarro County citizens, originally calendared for June 13 will be held at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, June 6, instead, according to Dr. Will Miller, acting director of Corsicana-Navarro Health Department. The meeting, to be held at the county court house, will be attended by Martin C. Wukasch, state engineer, and possibly other representatives of the State Health Department.

Six Cases.

First news of the polio epidemic was given to the public at a meeting last Friday night. Dr. S. H. Burnett, at that time, revealed that he had five cases of polomyelitis. Another case was diagnosed as polio sometime Saturday.

Victims of the disease live in scattered sections of the city and its general area as follows: One on South Fourteenth Street, one on East Seventh Avenue, one on South Seventeenth Street, two in the Oak Valley community and one near Pickett.

Statement By Miller.

Meanwhile Dr. Miller issued a statement urging the public to remain calm in the face of the epidemic. Said he: "The health department, as do all doctors concerned in our community, urges the public in general not to get panic-stricken in this infantile paralysis epdemic, but to maintan their best of judgment and if unduly alarmed call your family physician because it is he who can best advise you."

Dr. Miller, too, urged the citizens of Corsicana and Navarro county to attend Wednesday night's mass meeting, at which time a general clean-up campaign will be launched. Officials of the State Health Department, inspecting the city last week, found many polio hazards which must be removed before the disease can be controlled.

Mayor Asks Cooperation.

From Mayor John C. Calhoun came the following statement: "The City's attitude will be one of cooperation with all citizens of the community in the clean-up campaign. We urge the citizens in turn, to cooperate with the City."

"There will be a job for every man, woman and child in the cam-

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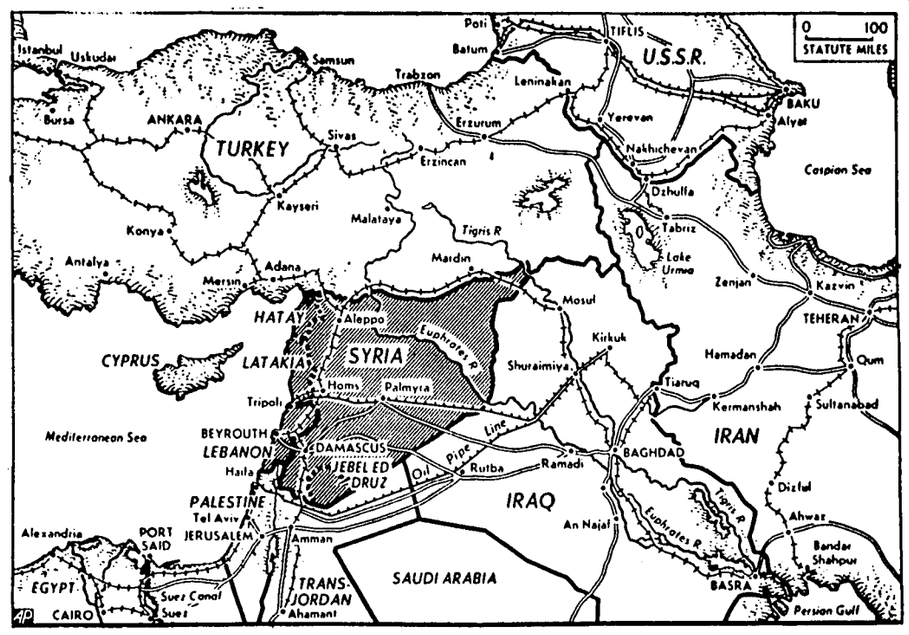
BOND PREMIER AT PALACE THEATRE WEDNESDAY 8 P. M.

The bond premier at the Palace theatre Wednesday, June 6, 8 p. m., promises to attract one of the largest audiences of the season, it is indicated by advance reservations.

Featured on the screen will be "God is My Co-Pilot," starring Dennis Morgan with Dane Clark and Raymond Massey. On the same program will be "San Pietro," 30 minutes of on-the-scene action on the Italian front.

"Buy a war bond of any denomination at any agency in Navarro county—bring it to the Palace theatre and you will be given a special free ticket," Paul Hudgins, local Interstate manager, announced. "Tickets will be issued only on bonds purchased from June 1 to June 6, inclusive," he said.

With the excellent attractions on the screen and the desire on the part of the citizenship to participate in the mighty 7th War Loan, officials anticipate a sell-out Wednesday night.



NEAR EAST TROUBLE AREA—Map shows location of Syria and Lebanon (shaded) in relation to other Near East countries. With the end of fighting between Syrians and Lebanese and the French, Syria said the nation is unwilling to grant French any special position whatever in the country. Rich Mosul oil fields are immediately east of Syria. (AP Wirephoto Map)

CHURCHILL PROMISES SYRIAN STATEMENT TO HOUSE COMMONS

DISPATCHES INDICATE AFFAIRS IN LEVANT STILL IN CRITICAL STATE

LONDON, June 4.—(AP)—The Daily Mail said today that Prime Minister Churchill would make a statement in the house of commons this week "defining in clearest terms" the attitude of the British government on the situation in Syria.

Damascus dispatches indicated that affairs in the Levant still were in a critical state, and British troops were kept constantly on the alert protecting the French in their barracks.

Gen. Charles De Gaulle's proposal for an international conference to settle all Arab problems appeared to have done little to ease British-French tension. The London press chorused protest over the De Gaulle charge that British agents fomented agitation against France's Levantine interests.

The British foreign office has declined thus far to comment on De Gaulle's proposal.

French troops and families under British protection in Syrian towns were being evacuated, a Damascus dispatch said last night.

In Kuneitra, south of Damas-

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War At A Glance

By The Associated Press

OKINAWA — Yank infantrymen sliced to south shores of island, sealing off Chinen peninsula and compressing most of remaining Japanese in area eight by nine miles.

PHILIPPINES—Heavy fighting flared northwest of Davao on Mindanao Island. Stiff opposition encountered in Manila watershed area.

CHINA—Chinese reported Japanese war supplies being stepped north along Siang river and Japanese destruction of the Canton-Hankow railroad between Hengyang and Changsha, indicating possible abandonment of the corridor between Hakow and Hongkong.

BURMA—British captured Thanduang, mountain stronghold, and gained east of Toungoo, on Rangoon-Mandalay railroad.

LONG, BITTER OKINAWA FIGHT SHOULD BE WARNING OF HARD ROAD AHEAD IN PACIFIC AREA

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By J. M. ROBERTS, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst.

The long, bitter fight on comparatively tiny Okinawa serves to give pause to anyone who might look on the Japanese war as a job to be completed with our left hand.

Multiply Okinawa by the size and importance of Japan proper and you get some very dark days ahead, no matter how victorious. The job, as President Truman has said, is going to take more than did Germany.

And, contrary to a view which appears to be widespread, the price is not to be paid on the ground alone. In fact, the navy already has paid more for Okinawa than either the army or marines.

References to "the former Japanese fleet," and to the efforts of our navy to get its remnants out for a fight, could build us up for a big let-down. Ever our navy men, driving enthusiastically forward with a fleet which overshadows everything before it in history, know the troubling potentialities which the Japanese admirals still command.

Not counting important units which may be repaired and return to the fight, it appears from a summary of various reports that the Japanese still have seven to ten battleships, a dozen carriers, and perhaps a score of cruisers. They do not have, apparently, anything like a normal complement of destroyers for such a force.

This force, according to best reports, seems to be concentrated at home. Under certain circumstances it could prove extremely dangerous.

In the battle of the Philippines the Japanese executed a good plan, staged a historic coup in negotiating the San Bernardino Strait at night, and were turned back from MacArthur's convoy in Leyte Gulf only by exertion of our last ounce of immediately available strength and at heavy cost.

"Screamin' Demon" Rough War Weapon Says Young Marine

Twenty-nine days in the front lines on Iwo Jima with that playmate of instant and searing death the "Screamin' Demon," as a constant companion, failed to wipe the friendly, boyish smile from the face of Cpl. Orville C. Bridges, 21, U. S. Marine Corps, now home on a 30-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bridges, 722 West Tenth, avenue.

In Three Invasions.

A little over five feet in height and probably not weighing over 125 pounds, wringing wet, the Marine is a veteran of the Bougainville and Guam invasions prior to the bloody and costly battle for control of Iwo.

"The 'Screamin' Demon' is the name the Marines gave to the 1,000-pound rocket bomb used by the Japs on Iwo," the young Leatherneck explained. "It is the roughest war weapon I encountered on my tour of duty in the Pacific theatre of operations. Imagine a large bathtub full of TNT screaming through the air at terrific speed in your general direction, and you have a fairly accurate idea of this Nip nipper."

Entered Service in '41.

Wearing ribbons indicative of American defense, Pre-Pearl Harbor, American Theatre and the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre of Operations, studded with three Bronze Battle Stars, Cpl. Bridges entered the service Sept. 18, 1941, and went overseas in January, 1943. He returned to the States May 11. He attended the Corsicana High school and expects to complete his education while in the service.

Brother Killed.

A brother, Pfc. Samuel Thomas Bridges, 23, also in the Marine Corps, was killed in action July 28, 1944, on Guam. The non-com did not know of his brother's death until eight days after the completion of the campaign. They were in different outfits.

At the completion of his furlough, Cpl. Bridges reports to Corpus Christi for reassignment.

HEADQUARTERS OF TEXAS HEREFORD ASSOCIATION HERE

Headquarters of the Texas Hereford Association have been moved to Corsicana from Dallas R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, president, announced Saturday afternoon.

President Wheelock also announced the employment of Henry Elder of Lubbock as secretary-manager, who will devote his efforts to the association and the work of the Hereford breeders. He pointed out that 25 per cent of the Herefords in the nation are in Texas.

The new secretary-manager is a graduate of Texas Tech, 1935, was awarded a masters' degree in 1945. He has been vocational agriculture teacher at Lubbock for the past six years and his livestock judging teams have won several high honors and ratings. Elder has worked with Herefords all of his life. He plans to move his wife, a daughter and two sons to Corsicana as soon as he can secure a suitable residence.

Wheelock became the president of the association last April.

Halsip Succeeds Patch.

WITH THE U. S. 7TH ARMY In Germany, June 2.—(Delayed by Censor)—(AP)—Lt. Gen. Wade H. Haislip, Washington, D. C., will succeed Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch as commander of the Seventh army, it was learned today.

Haislip has been in command of the 15th corps of the Third army.

THOUSAND PLANE RAIDS ON JAPAN; BALLOON ATTACKS

GROUND FORCES ON OKINAWA MAKE TWO-MILE GAIN THROUGH MUD

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
Associated Press War Editor.

Aggressive first string Japanese pilots flying a superior fighter plane defense of their homeland injected a new note today into the Pacific air war which Tokyo and Washington said would soon see 1,000 plane Superfort raids on Nippon and Japanese balloonists spanning the ocean to bomb the United States.

In rapidly developing ground offensives five Chinese columns closed in behind retreating Japanese on two former U. S. air bases while American infantrymen slashed two miles through knee deep mud to reach the southeastern shores of Okinawa, stepping stone to Japan.

Tokyo reported four U. S. carrier or transport forces moving in to strengthen the nearly complete American hold on Okinawa. One group of more than 40 ships was reported in the former Imperial fleet anchorage at Nakagusuku Bay as Yank infantrylmen isolated Chinen Peninsula, southern arm of the bay.

Japs Withdrawing.

From China came reports that Japanese were speeding their exodus northward, tearing up railway tracks as they went.

Chiang, Kai-Shek's infantrymen took advantage of the retreat to drive up the broken Indo-China corridor to within 28 miles of Liuchow, onetime U. S. airbase and more recently an enemy stronghold. Other columns closing in from the north and northwest captured cities 50 and 40 miles distant.

Chinese predicted both Liuchow and Shaoyang, 235 miles to the north, would soon be returned to the 14th Air Force. Chinese columns made gains of around two miles on the approaches to Shaoyang.

New Japan Tactics.

New Japanese flying tactics, in planes faster and more maneuverable than American carrier-borne fighters, were reported by pilots returning from a hard two-day strike at southern Japan.

Rising Sun propagandists said the Emperor's war lords had another aerial joker up their sleeve and would soon attack the United State with "bomb-carrying stratosphere balloons manned by death-defying Japanese pilots."

Broadcasters surmised that experimental sorties by unpiloted balloons have been "creating great havoc in the enemy country." These balloons, which have admittedly reached the United States, the Japanese said have been launched daily from Japan since March 12, making the ocean crossing in four days.

1,000-Plane Fleets.

There was more substance in the promise of an U. S. army intelligence division spokesman that 1,000-plane fleets of B-29s, each

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HEAVY FIGHTING ON MINDANAO ISLAND NEAR DAVAO SUNDAY

OUSTED JAPANESE GARRISON PUSHED INTO MOUNTAINS AROUND MT. APO

By RUSSELL BRINES.

MANILA, June 4.—(AP)—Heavy fighting was under way yesterday northwest of Davao on Mindanao island. Maj. Gen. Roscoe B. Woodruff's 24th Infantry division pursued the ousted Davao garrison into the mountains around 10,000-foot volcanic Mt. Apo.

From that sector, Associated Press Correspondent Richard Bergholz reported the discovery of about 150 skeletons in an old Davao penal camp north of the city. Prisoners who were sick and ill were left to die by the fleeing Japanese.

Guerilla forces captured Bayabas village Saturday after a brief but bloody hand to hand battle. The guerilla attack was supervised by officers of the 24th Division.

Simultaneously, units took the villages of Al Ambra, Mulig and Ula.

Meanwhile, on Central Mindanao Col. Edward Starr's regiment of the 31st Infantry division hit a strong Japanese force Saturday east of Malaybalay. The 31st Division, under Maj. Gen. Clarence Martin, is driving from the west to trap the remaining Mindanao Japanese between his outfit and the 24th.

American troops expedited the rout of the isolated Japanese in the southeast section of Mindaoa by landing at Luayon, on the western shore of Davao Gulf 75 miles south of Davao city, in an amphibious shore-to-shore operation Friday against only slight opposition.

6,550 Japanese Dead.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported in his communique today that 6,550 Japanese dead had been

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UNITED STATES IS SEEKING WAY OUT OF CONFERENCE TROUBLE

RUSSIA ADAMANT IN STAND AGAINST OTHER FOUR POWERS OVER VETO

By JOHN HIGHTOWER
Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—(AP)—The United States is seeking some way out of the conference stalemate on the veto voting issue, but without the slightest yielding on its own insistence that there must be no veto on the right of discussion in a world security council.

If American leadership fails to break the deadlock—in which Russia is at odds with this country, Britain, China and France on this one point — the United Nations Conference may produce a wide-open floor fight in its closing days.

And even though the charter is approved as it now stands, it may be accepted by some countries only with reservations. Guillermo Belt, Cuban delegate, said that would be true in the case of his country and that he expects many small nations to stick together on the veto issue.

Ambassador Andrei Gromyko has reported to Moscow that the other big powers would not accept his government's rigid interpretation fo the veto—that it should apply even to preliminary discussion in the council. This puts the next move up to Moscow as to whether its interpretation may be softened.

Another Big Five Meeting

Another Big-Five meeting was called for today, following one last night and two Saturday. Except for their deffirences of opinion over this one question the powers were reported making rapid progress toward resolving all other conference issues on which they are acting jointly.

Last night's meeting completed agreement in priciple if not in actual words on 14 out of 18 problems which were before them when the current series of speed-up talks started at Secretary of State Stettinius' hotel aparment Friday nuight.

Here is the heart of the veto dispute as it now stands:

The Yalta voting formula says that the five big powers out of the 11 nations on the Security Council

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SGT. J. N. ELLETT HAS BEEN AWARDED MERIT CERTIFICATE

S-Sgt. J. N. Ellett, U. S. Army, 543rd quartermaster Department Supply Company, has been awarded a certificate of merit for his work in the European Theatre of Operations and the award has been received by his wife, Mrs. Ellen Ellett of Corsicana.

The certificate stated the award was for his "conspiciously meritorious and outstanding performance of military duty," as he had acted as company clerk since arriving on the continent and during the Normandy, the Rhineland and Central European campaigns" has shown a devotion to duty over and above his expected performance." The document was signed by Richard B. Peters, major, qm, commanding.

Sgt. Ellett, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Ellett, Corsicana, entered the armed forces March 29, 1943, and went oversea October 20, 1943. He was a graduate of Corsicana High School where he was quarterback of the Corsicana Tigers his last two years in school.

EIGHTEEN GRADUATE FROM MILDRED HIGH SCHOOL THIS YEAR

Eighteen seniors graduated from Mildred high school Thursday evening, May 31. The class and friends listened attentively to an address by Supt. J. T. Black, Blooming Grove. Supt. Black stressed the need and importance of "Thinkers" rather than of "Suckers" in the solution of the many serious problems confronting the world.

J. C. Watson, county superintendent of schools, presented the diplomas.

The following received doplomas: Mary Lou Bailey, Bettie Jean Beeman, Doris Boyd, Theodus Calloway, Joan Daniel, Joy Marie Franklin, Winnie Jewell McKanna, Jean Owens, Joyce Owens, Mary Jean Russell, Dorothy Trull.

Charles Hayden Harris, Worth Johnston, Doyle McKanna, Travis Owens, M. L. Weaver, Herbert Wilcox, Otto Wiswell.

Graduation Program

Following is the program for the commencement exercises:

Professional: Grand March "Aida" ..... Verdi
Invocation ..... Rev. W. N. Trull
Salutatory .. Bettie Jean Beeman
Tribute to Our Late President... ..... Joyce Owens
Piano Duet .....
Patricia Allen and Mrs. S. H. Allen
Valedictory . Herbert Allan Wilcox
Music ..... Chorus
Address ..... J. T. Black
Supt. Blooming Grove School
Presentation of Diplomas..... .....J. C. Watson
County School Superintendent
Presenation of Awards..... ..... H. A. Garland
Benediction ..... Rev. D. E. Ford

Remember The Tin Can Drive June 10.



VISITING PARENTS—J. G. Jenkins, 18, of the Merchant Marine, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Jenkins, 1407 West Twelfth avenue, after having completed 16 weeks of maritime training at St. Petersburg, Fla., and making one sea voyage in the Atlantic, Carribean and Pacific as an A.B.S. He graduated from Kerens high school in 1943 and entered the maritime service in December 1944. Prior to entering the service he was employed at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas.

Return Cigarettes.

DENVER, June 4.—(AP)—Five packs of cigarettes were on their way yesterday to W. D. Lane of Mirland, Texas, from the lost and found department of the Continental Air Lines.

Lane had left the packs on a plane three weeks ago.

They are being duly returned but with an addition—a note asking Lane the secret of his source of supply.

Have something you don't need? Try a Want Ad and convert it into cash. Just phone 163.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

VETERAN OF MANY COMBAT MISSIONS BACK IN STATES

MIAMI, Fla., June 4—(Spl.)—A fighter pilot with 36 combat missions to his credit, Maj. Temple Bowling, Montgomery, Ala., recently cleared Air Transport Command's Miami Army Air Field enroute to leave and home.

The 24-year old major was overseas 27 months in the Mediterranean theater of operations. He was flown here in an ocean-spanning ATC plane.

"Our principal targets were rail centers and oil refineries," said Major Bowling, who chalked up 187 hours of combat flying.

Major Bowling wears the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal.

A student in civil life, he formerly resided at 18 Wilson St., Montgomery. His mother, Mrs E. L. Bowling, lives at 16 High St., Hogensville, Ga. His wife, for whom he named his P-38, "Joan III," has been living at 1125 West Fifth avenue, Corsicana, Texas, while her young husband has been fighting air battles overseas.

After clearing Miami Army Air Field, he will be sent to a post in the vicinity of his home and then furloughed before being reassigned or discharged.

Tony Rios to Meet Spencer.

HOUSTON, June 4.—(AP)—Tony Rios, southpaw puncher from Mexico, will meet Gene Spencer, hardhitting Chicago boxer, tonight for the Texas lightweight championship.

The bout, to be staged in Buff Stadium and scheduled for 12 rounds has been sanctioned by Labor Commissioner Leonard Carlton as a title match.

The lightweight championship is vacant since Proctor Heinhold of Oklahoma City is now too light for the division.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

ARMY-NAVY CASUALTY LIST FOR MONDAY IN CENTRAL TEXAS AREA

Army-Navy casualties as released through the Office of War Information including the following from this area:

Navy Wounded.

Bobbie Jean Hodges, motor machinist's mate, 1c, USN; parents Mr. and Mrs. Judge B. Hodges, Troup.

Army Dead.
European Regions.

Pvt. W. T. Swain, husband of Mrs. Nettie M. Swain, Route 2, Grand Saline.

S-Sgt. Leroy Williams, son of Mrs. Ellen Williams, Route 1, Montalba.

Army Wounded.
European Regions.

1st, Lt. Albert J. Chiles, husband of Mrs. Luna B. Chiles, 3061 Morrow avenue, Waco.

T-5 Wylon Davis, son of Mrs. Ola Davis, Route 5, Gilmer.

Army Wounded.
Pacific Regions.

Pvt. Jewel Jordan, son of Mrs. Nonie Jordan, Center.

Pfc. Roby L. Windham, husband of Mrs. Thelma Winnell Windham, 416 W. Chambers, Cleburne.

Army Liberated Prisoners of War.
Germany.

Pfc. George K. Dabney, son of Mrs. Velma F. Dabney, 3207 North Twenty-Seventh St., Waco.

S-Sgt. Lowell T. Birdwell, son of Mrs. Minnie E. Birdwell, Route 2, Henderson.

Pvt. Douglas Bush, husband of Mrs. Adeline Bush, Whitney.

T-Sgt. Edgar E. Harbour, son of Mrs. Mary C. Harbour, 108 S. Johnson avenue, Mount Pleasant.

Pvt. Johnnie Hart, son of Mrs. Janey Bailey, Route 1, Kaufman.

Sgt. Robert N. Kirkpatrick, son of Mrs. Ruby C. Kirkpatrick, Madisonville.

Pfc. James E. Knight, son of Mrs. E. M. Knight, 1501 North Tenth St., Waco.

Pvt. Frank Potak, husband of Mrs. Margaret Potak, Route 6, Terrell.

Pfc. Orval H. Proctor, son of Mrs. Edgar W. Proctor, Route 2, Valley Mills.

Reports based on prior notification of next of kin.

COMMENCEMENT FOR DAILY BIBLE SCHOOL AT FIRST BAPTIST

Commencement exercises for the Daily Bible School at the First Baptist church were held Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. Jared I. Cartlidge, pastor of the church, delivered the sermon at the morning hour.

There were 561 in Sunday School and four united with the church by letter.

The Woman's Missionary Society held its monthly business meeting Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The regular deacon's meeting is scheduled Monday at 8 p. m.

Regular Wednesday evening services will be held with the church conference at 8 p. m. Choir rehersal will be held Thursdoy evening at 8 o'clock. Regular Sunday school visitation will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

NEGROES REQUEST BETTER HOSPITAL ACCOMMODATIONS

Discussions of needed improvements and repairs were held by the Navarro county hospital board Sunday at its June meeting. Representatives of negro organizations requested better accommodations and changes in the negro wards at the hospital, and conferred as to procedure to procure better arrangements.

Collections for May totaled $4,519.34, while expenses were $4,708.74. There were 151 patients admitted during the month, including eight charity. Fifteen outpatients were treated but not admitted. Charity services performed by doctors were listed at $713 while hospital charity was carried at $389.71. There were 32 deliveries during May.

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RITES HELD SUNDAY FOR J. M. HARDIN, WHO DIED SATURDAY

Funeral services for James Monroe Hardin, aged 60 years, who died at the P. and S. Hospital early Saturday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the State Home. Burial was in the Frost cemetery with the Masons in charge. The rites at the State Home were conducted by E. B. Fulton, chaplain; M. L. Kelly, superintendent, and Rev. W. L. Murdaugh, pastor of the Memorial Baptist church.

Hardin was an employee of the State Home. He was a native of Limestone county.

Surviving are his wife, Corsicana; two daughters, Miss Opal Hardin, Dallas, and Mrs. Maurice Marler, Alexandria, La.; two brothers, Edgar Hardin, League City, and Lamar Hardin, Kilgore; two sisters, Mrs. Artie Hudgins, Mt. Calm, and Mrs. Vera Castle, Buffalo, and other relatives.

Pallbearers were E. B. Renfro, A. J. Edrington, J. A. Brister, Robert Fulton, E. H. Bottom and Hardy L. McCullough.

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD ON SATURDAY FOR SAM P. LOVE

Funeral services for Sam P. Love, aged 90 years, who died at his home west of Corsicana Friday night, were held from the family home Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Burial was in the Hamilton cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Finis A. Crutchfield, District Methodist superintendent. He was a pioneer resident of Navarro county.

Surviving are his wife, Corsicana; two sons, F. M. Love, Corsicana, and Walter R. Love, Crandall; four daughters, Mrs. F. M. Hamilton, Sheridan; Mrs. Roy Peebles, Corsicana; Mrs. Edwin Von Lienen Yoakum, and Mrs. Bemis Nord, Corsicana; five sisters, Mrs. Ida Grant, Blooming Grove; Mrs. W. H. Champion, Lockhart, Mrs. W. C. Pulsey and Miss Flora Love, both of Honey Grove, and Mrs. J. S. Daniel, Corsicana, and other relatives.

Pallbearers were Jim Taylor, Walter Beeman, Donald Smith, Beden Owen, T. E. Young and Will Murphy Love.

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PACIFIC WAR

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carrying a larger load of explosives, would soon become a reality. Such air armadas could blast Japan with the force of 4,000 Flying Fortresses and Liberators. They will be escorted by Mustang fighters from Iwo Jima, which were placed directly under the 20th Air Force (Superfort) command.

Japanese spokesmen warned smaller cities to prepare for B-29 raids and ordered the evacuation of B-29 scorched Yokohama to make it a "fortress city."

Over the week end carrier-borne planes of Adm. William F. Halsey's third fleet twice raided Kamikaze (suicide) plane bases in Southern Japan and Kamikaze planes attacked American shipping around Okinawa. Forty-eight Japanese planes were destroyed; 23 damaged and Tokyo said one U. S. ship was set afire.

Record Advance.

The record advance through rain-swept Okinawa's mud was made by the 7th Infantry Division. One column lunged two miles to the southeastern shore of the island while other elements slugged into the peninsula where disrupted Nipponese troops intermingled with thousands of civilians.

Gains ranging from 500 yards to nearly a mile were made over leveled villages in the centr of the island by the First Marine and 96th Infantry Divisions. The two air-supplied forces advanced sometimes with bayonet charges or through enfilading machine gun fire.

The Sixth Division on the west coast apparently was realigning itself for a push toward Naha air field where regrouping Japanese were under constant artillery fire.

Heavy Philippine Fighting.

Heavy fighting was reported in the Davao sector of the Southern Philippines, where Yanks killed off 6,550 Japanese last week and took 503 prisoners to boost enemy losses for the eight months old campaign to 385,480. Total American casualties approximated 50,000, including 225 killed last week and 657 wounded.

Chiang Kai-Shek's forces on the West China front were reported not more than six miles west and northwest of Shaoying (Poaching.) About 75 miles to the northeast a diversionary Nipponese force pushed 30 miles west of Siangsiang. This was believed to be a protective move for retreating forces moving northward toward the angize and tearing up the Hengyang-Changsha section of the North-South Railway as they fell back.

On Burma Front.

On almost forgotten southern fronts British raptured the Burma mountain stronghold of Thangaung, 150 miles north of Rangoon and Australians repulsed a sudden burst of counterattacks in the Wewak area of Northern New Guinea.

Superfort-shaken Japan saw Tsuneo Hatsudira, former ambassador to Washington, step down after nine years as minister of the imperial household because of self-assumed responsibility for fire damage to the imperial palace. He was succeeded by Sotaro Ishiwata, former finance minister.

Japanese were cautioned that spies were on the increase, told not to complain about hardships, and again warned to keep away from propaganda "paper bombs" showered by B-29s.

Suicide Attacks.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—(AP)—A Japanese broadcast of a Tokyo reporter's account of a visit to a Kamikaze (suicide pilot) training school concluded today with the "revelation" that the special attack corps "is now the entire navy x x."

The Federal Communications Commission's pickup of the broadcast said a garbled word after "navy" was believed to be "airmen." This would mean the Japanese naval air force was being geared to all-out Kamikaze tactics.

Report Guerrilla Leader Executed.

CHUNGKING, June 4.—(AP)—Informed sources said today that Gen. Chang Yen, a guerrilla leader, who fought with the famous 19th route army against the Japanese at Shanghai in 1932, had been executed March 22 at Paise, in Kwangsi, on orders of Chungking for allegedly having engaged in subversive activitites against the state.

A Kwangsi newspaper first published the news of Chang's execution. At the same time it alleged that three other Guerrilla leaders were put to death on the same charge but there was no confirmation of this in Chungking.

New American Landings.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—(AP)—Radio Tokyo today reported American troops have made new landings on Okinawa—on Chinen peninsula, already cut off as a retreat for Japanese fleeing the Shuri area.

The broadcast said "unconfirmed reports"—an unusual Japanese qualification—told of the landing.

The broadcast was recorded by the Federal Communications commission.



SINGING COWGIRLS—Jean and Jolaine Ewing, singing cowgirls, will be featured entertainers at Corsicana's annual three-day rodeo, June 7, 8, 9.

Two singing cowgirls, Jean and Jolaine Ewing, radio and stage artists and featured USO entertainers, will be among the attractions to be presented at Corsicana's annual three-day rodeo, June 7-8-9.

Jean, the older of the two girls, at the age of eight was featured as guest soloist with Ben Bernie on Hotel Astor Roof in New York City. The two cowgirls sing all types of songs, including cowboy, popular, boogie-woogie, classic and hymns.

Jean and Jolaine will appear at each performance of the big rodeo, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The girls are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Ewing of Gonzales. Mrs. Ewing, the former Toma Medford, was graduated from Corsicana High school and was a singer and dancer at many civic entertainments in Corsicana and other Texas cities.

The cowgirls arrived in Corsicana last night and will be in the city throughout this week.

Tickets for this Junior Chamber of Commerce-sponsored event went on sale today in the lobby of the Navarro Hotel. Also available there are 500 box seat tickets.

A cowboy-cowgirl street parade at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon will officially open the local rodeo season. Fred Prince has invited anyone who can ride to participate in this event.

JAP POW CAMP

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and fallen away. The other was mummified and had on a baggy, shapeless uniform such as prisoners might wear. Both were on beds.

Bones Were Thick.

"On the porch and the outside walk, bones were thick. They were scattered and wild squash was growing around and over the skeletons. It was almost impossible to avoid stepping on a skull or other remains.

"Acress the street in another building, I saw another complete skeleton lying on the floor. In another building a man's skeleton was lying on a bed and on the bed next to it was a snapshot of an American woman and children.

"One man in my party said he saw a skeleton kneeling in a chapel."

LEGISLATURE

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The house finally passed to the governor senate approved bills:

Repealing statutory salaries for state officials so that salaries fixed in general appropriation bills will govern.

Permitting the state to accept as a gift a 25-bed tubercular hospital operated privately at Laredo and appropriating $25,000 a year for two years of state operation of the hospital.

Authorizing a contiuous term for the 63rd District Court.

The house sent to the senate for possible consideration a house bill creating a soil conservation division in the state highway department which could terrace farm land on a cost basis to farmers. It sets up a $200,000 revolving fund to finance the operation.

Amended and returned to the senate was a bill creating a state board of public accountancy.

The house adopted a free conference committee report on a bill permitting commissioned officers of the armed forces to take acknowledgement of enlisted personnel within or without the continental United States.

Passage of a resolution "respectfully and urgently" requesting Gov. Coke R. Stevenson to represent Texas before congressional committees in hearings on pending legislation that would affect state-owned tidewater lands.

Finally passed and sent to the governor a bill setting up penalties for private use of county equipment, without compensation.

Sent to the governor's desk a bill authtorizing county commissioners to raise stenographers' salaries to $1,500 in counties of more than 17,000 population, and another permitting constables and justices of the peace to keep up to $2,400 in fees annually—if such fees are earned—in counties of from 37,500 to 60,000 population.

Failed to take up a bill making appropriations for the upper Red River, Nueces and Pease river flood control districts.

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TRUMAN GETS A BIG ONE THAT DIDN'T GET AWAY—President Truman grins at the White House over a big one, a 45-pound salmon from Puget Sound, sent to him by a friend, Nick Bez, of Seattle, Wash., and presented by Sen. Warren G. Magnuson (D-Wash). (AP Wirephoto)

Allied Control Commission.

PARIS, June 4.—(AP)—Authoritative reports today said Gen. Eisenhower will meet in Berlin tomorrow with Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov of Russia, Field Marshal Montgomery of Great Britain and Gen. Mark Koenig of France to organize the allied control commission.

A Paris radio report that the four-power representatives met yesteday was denied emphatically by supreme headquarters.

CONFERENCE

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mut be unanimous before the council can take any important step toward preserving peace and security in the world.

Wanted Change

The small nations wanted this changed, so that the council could act even though one or two of the Big-Five disagreed with the action. The Big-Five said "no," on all important decisions they must be unanimous because otherwise they might fall to quarreling among themselves.

Informally the Big-Five all agreed here that the veto could not be used to keep the council from discussing any international dispute called to its attention. But, they said, when the discussion is finished and it comes to deciding whether anything should be done about the dispute then the v would apply.

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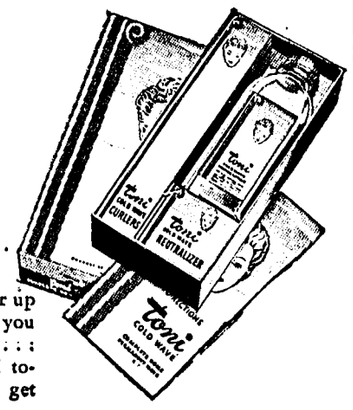


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BONDS FOR MERCY

Ted Gamble, national hairman of the War Finnce Committee, has an idea or an additional slogan for he current Seventh War oan Drive. He suggests Bonds for Mercy," and acks it up with statistics.

There are now, says Gamle, some 40,000 men, ounded or ill, being returnd to this country from the ighting fronts every month. he average hospital cost to he government, of an Army r Navy patient, on the basis f $5 a day for forty-five ays, is $225, or the purhase price of three $100 E onds. And the hospital are will continue at that umber or more a month for t least as long as the war asts.

"Bonds for Mercy." It's a ood idea. How many days' reatment can you give a vounded soldier, by lending ll you can afford to the govrnment? Buy bonds now.

HUMAN PROGRESS

The death mark is on the row of Japan, and neither mperor nor statesmen can void the doom. The arrogant little men are living on orrowed time.

Perhaps it is what we call n "inferiority complex" hat brings them to their eath. Being small in stature ompared with white men, hey have puffed themselves p and tried to crush the vhite man with his own veapons, thereby taking a arger share of the good hings of this world, and naking themselves feel bigger. But it doesn't work.

"Patience, lovely virtue," vas the motto of an imaginry Chinese created by an American writer a generaion ago. The Japanese were oo impatient, trying to gain he mastery of nations that had been developing for nany centuries. They learned that "knowledge is powr," but trusted too much in nere material knowledge, nistaking gadgets for real hings. Especially they lackd international morality. The decent world is too civlized now to tolerate very ong, in any quarter, medival efforts to grab and rule ther nations by brute force.

At least we hope so. And t does seem that, in spite of vars and rumors of wars, 'the old order changeth, ielding place to new," and hat slowly but surely "God ulfills himself" in this maerial world by the improvement of mankind.

EIGHTY-FOUR

You can get a good man's pirits down, but you can't eep them down. That seems he lesson to be drawn from he behavior of a group of oldiers at the Hot Springs, Ark., Redistribution Station.

They were eagerly totting up their point scores for possible discharge, while awaitng reassignment to new heaters of battle. And this unch discovered that they were exactly one point short, piece, of the necessary 85 oints which might have got hem their civilian clothes. So they've started a new, easonably exclusive club. There won't be more than several hundred thousand oligible under the present ules. For the only requirement is that a member must have had exactly 84 points, no more and no less. Its name is "The 84 Culb."

An idea seems to be spreading lately, that now s the time for every good man to throw a party.

Headline: "Japs Take Beating." That is one thing hat everyone is willing to have them take.

Edgar A. Guest

ON NEATNESS.

I suppose I ought to be
Neat and fit for folks to see.
Anyhow, my mother said it:
"Nice boys wash their hands and faces;
To their parents they're a credit,
Of neglect they show no traces."
But my blouses soon were crumpled
And my hair was quickly rumpled.

By and by my Nellie said:
"Why can't you be neater, Ed?
Drop that old hat! Get a new one!
Why not dress as all the others?
Bow tie always and a blue one!
So much trimmer are your brothers!
Surely if to try you started,
You could keep your hair well parted."

So it's always been with me,
Tidy long I cannot be.
Spots degrade the suit I'm wearing,
Though it cost a hundred dollars:
Children maul me, button tearing,
Sticky fingers stain my collars.
Let the dudes be always dressy,
There's more fun in being messy.

THE GERMAN JOB

The "shooting war" is over, in Europe, but the more complicated struggle to make of the conquered Germans a peaceful, civilized nation is just beginning. So large a proportion of them have been brutalized, so many still believe they should rule the world, that it is hard to start reeducation.

Pastor Martin Niemoeller, German religious leader who was imprisoned because of his opposition to the Nazis, is convinced that there is no use attempting to do anything with that "lost generation" between 22 and 30 years old. According to Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, president of the Federal Council of Churches, who saw him after his release, Pastor Niemoeller believes that re-education should be directed to those below the age of 22. He suggests, furthermore, that the program should begin with complete truth-telling concerning the actual policies and behavior of the Nazis. Perhaps, once they are persuaded of that depravity, and of the horror with which it is regarded by the rest of the world, the *younger ones* can be brought to a more humane and cooperative attitude.

The Allies would probably be inclined to set the age lower than that, by perhaps ten years. But the suggestions are worth serious consideration.

STALLED FRANCE

It is sad for friends of France to read again of deadlocks between the government and the trade unions, and the varied troubles that go with them. France for years now has seemed sunk in trouble and confusion, apparently incapable of government and industrially impotent. Yet the French people are as intelligent as any in Europe, and have as fine a record of achievement as any in the modern European world.

What is it that makes a nation decay, and grow old seemingly as individuals do, passing from strength and progress to impotence and senility? There was a time when China was the greatest and most progressive nation.

Decadent nations, however, have been resurrected and given a new lease of life and power of achievement. There must still be creative power in France, economic and governmental as well as artistic. And with the crushing of her coarse and arrogant neighbor Germany, there may come to France another period of creative power in the arts and sciences. That would also be a period in which France and America could cooperate fruitfully, as they have done in other times.

PETTY WARFARE

The balloon attacks that the Japs have been making lately against our northwestern border seem peculiarly Japanese. They have always been fond of colored balloons, and our own American taste for such holiday displays has probably been stimulated from that source. But there is, of course, no holiday purpose in the recent Jap practice of launching balloons carrying explosives against this country. The Japanese want to start fires and destroy American property. And they may have some success in the late summer and fall, if they last that long.

Governmental observers, who have been watching such operations closely, do not seem to be excited about the matter, but for safety's sake are warning people over large areas of the west and northwest to be on the lookout and never to touch or approach "any unfamiliar object." Western Canada, too, is interested in the matter.



IN UNIFORM

WITH THE 36TH TEXAS DIVISION, Seventh Army, Germany—T. Sgt. William H. Whitlock, son of Charles A. Whitlock, 2212 West Sixth avenue, has been promoted from grade of staff sergeant to his present rank. The local soldier's unit is a part of the victorious Seventh United States Army commanded by Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch.

AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD—Pvt. John A. Watson, son of H. B. Watson, 1210 Sycamore avenue, has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic in this Army Air Forces Technical Training School. His graduation from this school now fits him for airplane maintenance.

Sgt. David N. Whitaker, 1018 South Seventeenth Street, Corsicana, has left the European Theatre for the United States on point priority. He has been a member of the 90th Infantry Division, Third Army Infantry spearhead which fought from the Normandy beachhead into Czechoslovakia to become the first American unit to split Germany in half.

TONOPAH, Nevada.—Capt. Johnson D. Norton, 704 West Thirteenth avenue, is a bombardier instructor at Tonopah Army Air Field, only Fourth Air Force B-24 Combat crew training station in Nevada. The field recently completed more than 50,000 flying hours (more than ten million miles of flying) without a fatal aircraft accident.

O. C. Vest, seaman, first class, and his brother, Henry Vest, seaman, second class sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vest of Purdon, route 1, had a surprise reunion in the Pacific recently. It was the first time they had met in 23 months. O. C. participated in the landings at aipan, Leyte and Luzon, and Henry has been stationed on the Hawaiian Islands since May, 1944.

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER STATION, England.—The promotion of Roscoe E. Renfrow, Jr., of 1007 West Eleventh avenue, from corporal to sergeant has been announced at this station. Sgt. Renfrow, top turret gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress, is taking part in the bomber combat operations over Germany as a member of the veteran 384th Bomb Group. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe E. Renfrow, Sr., the 20-year old airman was graduated from Corsicana High school prior to entering the service in May, 1943.

Sgt. David Whitaker, who has been with the U. S. Army in Germany about 18 months, writes his sister, Mrs. Leona Gilley, here, that he expects to return home soon.

Pfc. Unis Shockley, who is with a tank corps with the U. S. army in Germany, has sent his father, W. J. Shockley, 844 South Fifteenth street, a number of souvenirs from Germany. Included in the items were three razors and a pocket knife. Pfc. Shockley has been in the armed searvice about two years and overseas one year.

Pvt. Marvin S. Wheat, U. S. army, infantry, veteran of two years in the service, now fighting on Okinawa, recently sent his mother, Mrs. Johnnie Mae Wheet, a box of souvenirs, including a Japanese gas mask, knife, bayonet, Japanese money and silverware. A brother, Pvt. Linzie B. Wheat, infantry, is stationed in Hawaii. He has been in the service four years.

WITH THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN NEW CALEDONIA—Tech. third grade, Charlie D. Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Fowler, Route 4, Corsicana, Texas, and husband of Mrs. Claudia Fay Fowler, Route 4, Corsicana, has just completed two years overseas service as a Diesel mechanic in an engineer heavy shop company stationed in New Caledonia. Sgt. Fowler attended a Diesel school in Memphis, Tenn. He entered th army May 18, 1944, at Mineral Wells, Texas, and has been overseas since May 18, 1943.

Aviation Cadet Bobby Burge, now stationed at the Childress Army Air Field, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ward, 610 West Thirteenth avenue.

First Lieut. Woodrow W. Greene has recently been promoted to this rank, according to information received by his mother, Mrs. Ludie Greene, 1013 West Eleventh avenue. He participated in the Siegfried line, Schmidt, Roer Dam, Remagen bridgehead and Ruhr pocket campaign.

A graduate of the Corsicana high school, Lieut. Greene was a member of the Tiger football team. His wife resides at 1315 North Seventh street, Temple.

WITH THE 32ND INFANTRY DIVISION in Northern Luzon, Philippines.—Private First Class William E. Redding, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joan E. Redding, who live on Route 4, Corsicana, Texas, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for exemplary behavior in combat. In the service since March, 1944, Redding is fighting on Luzon at present with the 32nd "Red Arrow" Infantry Division. He holds the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon.

MARINE CORPS AIR DEPOT, Miramar, Calif., June 2.—(Spl.)—Marine Corporal Choyce L. Owen, 21, of Corsicana, Texas, a cook with a Second Marine Air Wing squadron, has returned here from the Pacific for furlough and reassignment. The son of J. R. Owen of 522 North Nineteenth street, he attended Corsicana High school. Prior to enlisting in December, 1942, he was employed by Owen Service Station. He was based in the Palau and New Hebrides Island. He underwent bombings and strafings, but escaped injury. He was promoted to his present rank in March, 1943.

Sc-1c Thomas P. Harllee, U. S. Navy, who visited relatives here in March, writes that he is now stationed somewhere in the Marianas an dis doing well.

Baccalaureate For Mildred Graduating Class Held Sunday

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the Mildred High school were held at the Mildred Baptist church Sunday night, May 27.

The program follows:
Processional: Largo—"Xerxes"..... Handel
Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy....Choir
Prayer ..... Rev. D. E. Ford
Hymn: "The Church's One Foundation" ..... Choir
Scripture Reading ..... Rev. J. D. Badley
Vocal Solo ..... Joyce Owens
Sermon ..... Rev. A. L. Mendor
Hymn: "Now the Day Is Over" .....Choir
Benediction Rev. Peyton Goodman

Powell WSCS Met In Business Session

POWELL, June 1.—(Spl.)—Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church with nine members present. A business session preceded the regular program.

Mrs. Sylvan Stucker presented the Bible study. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Sol Ross.

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Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

Ceiling prices for poultry during the month of June have been announced by W. A. Wright, chairman of the War Price and Rationing Board, as follows:

The current retail price on broilers and fryers is 30.14 cents, live weight, and 60 cents, drawn weight. This price may vary slightly due to transportation charges. Retailers or producers may get additional information from the board.

Maximum ceiling on local orchard run peaches, at retail store prices, is 15 cents per pound up to June 18. Lower prices are allowed, of course. After June 18, the ceiling will be 13 cents, lower prices allowable.

Wright points out that these prices are figured on the basis of a net weight of 50 pounds per bushel.

Applications for renewal of transport ration for the third quarter are now being received by the board. Applicants are reminded that they must show their new 1945 vehicle license numbers. Many have been showing the 1944 numbers.

Effective June 1 all tire dealers are required to maintain records of grade 1 tires received, according to W. A. Wright, War Price and Rationing Board chairman. They also must keep records of replenishment portions of certificates and receipts which they forward to their suppliers.

The Office of Price Administration has suggested that OPA form R-73 will facilitate dealers in keeping these records. Any dealer who has not received one of these forms should apply to the district office in Dallas.

Tire dealers are urged to inventory Parts B of their tire certificates and also to inventory their grade 1 and 2 tires as of May 30. They will receive form R-71 from the OPA inventory branch in New York. Dealers who use the R-73 form will need only to transfer to R-71, as that information already will be established.

Army-Navy Casualty List For Friday

Army-Navy casualties announced through the Office of War Information includes the following from this action:

Navy Wounded.

Alvin Norris Knox, pharmacist's mate, 3c, USNR. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elmer Knox, 539 Magnolia St., Palestine.

Robert Benjamin McCurdy, seaman 2c, USNR, parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Robert McCurdy, Crawford.

Army Dead.
European Regions

T-4 Joseph L. Lynton, husband, of Mrs. Mary M. Lynton, Route 1, Reisel.

T-4 Milton R. Parker, son of Mrs. Sally C. Parker, Route 3, Lufkin.

Army Wounded.
Pacific Regions.

T-5 Zeanon B. Aleman, son of Mrs. Lugardia, Aleman, Route 4, Waco.

Army Liberated Prisoners of War.
Germany.

Pvt. James M. Lowery, son of Mrs. Mamie Williams, Itasca.

1st Lt. William R. Moore, son of Dee Moore, Route 1, Longview.

Pvt. Eugene P. Selle, son of Mrs Beatrice Selle, 817 South Sixth St., Waco.

1st Lt. William H. Taylor, Jr., son of William H. Taylor, 1108 Gordon St., Marshall.

Reports based on prior notification of next of kin.

Iwo Jima Veteran Home On Furlough

Harvey McClure, 24, U. S. marines, wounded in Iwo Jima Island hostilities, arrived home on furlough Friday morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy McClure at Blooming Grove, according to information received here.

Mrs. Edgar Johnson and Mrs. R. C. Loyd of Blooming Grove and Mrs. Bill Ross of Frost were in Corsicana on Sunday afternoon to attend the all-Chopin program presented by the Piano Ensemble Players at Kinsloe House.

LT. NEAL A. PRINCE RECENTLY GRADUATED FROM STAFF SCHOOL

REPLACEMENT AND TRAINING COMMAND, Italy.—Lt. Neal A. Prince, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Prince, 702 North 25th street recently was graduated from the Army Educational Staff School. He is among hundreds of officers in Italy who will help guide the Army's educational program for soldiers overseas.

The Army Educational Staff is operated in an old grade school building on the banks of the Tiber by the Replacement and Training Command, Mediterranean Theater of Operations. There the student-officers are taught how to orgaize and operate the expanded educational program designed to afford enlisted men and officers in this area opportunities to further their vocational and cultural education.

Lt. Prince was selected by the command to which he is assigned on the basis of special qualifications, to enroll in the course. He will return to his unit soon to inaugurate the program outlined at The program will offer a variety of instruction designed for a student body which ranges all the way from the man who dropped out of school in the third grade to Ph. D's, and which represents many trade and subject fields.

Lieutenant Price, whose wife, Mrs. Florence D. Prince, lives in Houston, was a member of the '42 class at Rice Institute. He has been in the service 30 months and is assigned to the 39th Engineers Group as information and Education officer.

SENIOR HI-SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP CLUB THIRD SIX WEEKS

Senior High School's Scholarship Club for the third six weeks of the spring term has been announced as follows:

Students making all A's: Martha Allen, Radford Beale, Marian Bragg, Ruth Brown (five A's), Wilma Cesna, Betty Nell Crain, Ned DeLafosse, Ballard George, Jeanne Gross (five A's), Louise Gunn, Betty Faye Howeth, Joan Jester, Helena Juengermann.

Isaac Levy (five A's), Marianne Long, Andrew McColpin, Kathryn McLendon, Susie McMichael, Wanda NeSmith, Dorothy Smith, Virginia Stokes, Frances Ann Wallace, John Wallace, Pansy Ware and Betty Ruth Watson.

Students making three A's with no grade lower than B were Beverly Bohmfalk, Patricia Borg, Nelda Breithaupt, Billie Anne Cheney, Bill Davis, Noble Davis, Carolyn Dublin, Don Dunbar (four A's and one B), Mary Ella Franks, A. H. Ganze, Jr., Eleanor Green, Joy Hall (three A's and two B's), Kathleen Hardin, Zelda Faye Holley, John Henry Juengermann.

Norma Bee Larson (three A's and two B's) E. C. Lee (four A's and one B), Veta Markle, Nelda NeSmith, Carolyn Pinkston, Joyce Rose, Edith Sanders (four A's and one B), Betty Sharpley, Louise Smith, Billy Stewart, Mary Thompson (three A's and two B's), and Della Louise Turner, Janice Levy, Joe McAdams (4 A's and 1 B.)

NUMBER OF WHITE SELECTEES ACCEPTED FROM BOARD NO. 2

A number of white selectees were accepted for the armed forces, May 23, according to a release of personnel at Navarro County Draft Board No. 2.

Negro prospective selectees were sent to Dallas from both boards Friday for physical examinations. Negro contingents will be sent to Dallas for induction from both bards Monday, while white contingents will be sent from both boards June 8 for physical examinations.

Those accepted in the May 23 call from Board 2 included:

Army—Melvin Lee Cook, Merle Sansing Hammack, Willie Earl Keeton, Joe Thurman Duncan, Arthur Britton Clark, Phelix Abner Lackey, John H. Burleson, Thomas Garland Richardson, Parm Curtis Anderson, Joe Peyton Johnson, Richard Armetis Ivie, Ray Elton Bell, Carl Henry Crabtree, Ezra Dell Griffin, Marvin Allen Mahoney, Richard Calvin Green, Grady Whitfield Murrell, transfer from Denison.

Marines—Erwin Franklin Carr.

Navy—James Preston Morrison, Jr.

Pvt. and Mrs. J. R. Warrington and their mother, Mrs. Warrington, and Mrs. Lonnie Hosch were in Tupelo on Thursday to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gatlin.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our many friends who have been so kind to us since the announcement of the death of our son, Nathan Garrett McAfee, of the U. S. Army tank corps killed in action January 11th on the Western Front.

We have received many letters and words of condolence following the death of our son, all of which we deeply appreciate.—Mr. and Mrs. T. R. McAfee.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our many, many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the loss of our loved one, A. A. Elmore. We do especially thank those who sent the beautiful floral offerings, and those who brought food, and we would not forget Bro. Harmon for his beautiful consoling words and sincere sympathy extended us at this time. May God's richest blessings be yours.—Mrs. A. A. Elmore and Family.

IN MEMORY OF CLYDE HUNTER

Since you have gone away, it is lonely without your rippling laughter. We move bewilderedly and seem but half ourself without the answer of your face.

The things that were made sacred by your touch catch at our heart with a recurrent strain forever played upon the chord of pain: and each note cries, "we miss you so much. The place without you is an agony.

Yet knowing the parting death can bring.—Written by Loved one.



COMMISSIONED — Miss Jessie Nowlin, Shreveport, La., recent visitor in the home of her cousin, Mrs. A. C. Slate, 200 South Twentieth street, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Nurse Corps, and will report for duty June 1, at Camp Swift. A graduate of the Tri-State Hospital Nursing School, Lt. Nowlin was supervisor at that hospital when she volunteered for service. A sister, Mrs. Lowe B. Justice, was also a visitor in the hmoe of Mrs. Slate.

Vivian Ellett Was Honoree Of Crystal Shower On Monday

In compliment to Miss Vivian (Baby) Ellett of Powell, bride-elect of Rollin Harris of Mabank, whose marriage was solemnized in Dayton, Ohio, today, Mesdames I. T. Kent and Claude Hervey Jr., entertained with a crystal shower at Kinsloe House on Monday morning.

Receiving with the hostesses and honoree were Mesdames Fred Ellett of Powell, mother of the honoree, and Houston Kent.

Program highlights included a group of readings by Mrs. Elbert Walker and several piano selections by Miss Betty Rawlinson.

Mesdames Jack Gilmore of Powell and Mabel Wilkinson presided at the refreshment table which held a profusion of yellow Dutch iris, daisies and white stock as center decor. Mrs. Frank Kent assisted during the social interlude.

Thirty-five close friends and relatives of the honoree shared in the pre-nuptial courtesy.

Frost Soldier Has Been Liberated

FROST, June 1.—Noel Ballew, U. S. Army, has been liberated from a German prison camp, according to a communication received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballew of this community. He was in France at the time he dispatched the message, and expects to be home within a few weeks. He had been a prisoner of the Germans more than a year.

Miss Joyce Morton was a recent visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morton, at Dresden.

MRS. ROSIE HUBBARD DIED ON THURSDAY; RITES HELD FRIDAY

Mrs. Rosie Hubbard, aged 85 years, native of Alabama, but long-time Navarro county resident, died Thursday afternoon at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Valsy Belcher, State Home road, following a several months illness.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Corley Chapel. Burial was in the Dawson cemetery. The rites weer conducted by Rev. Jack Goff, pastor of the Northside Baptist church.

Surviving are three sons, E. F. Hubbard, Dawson; L. R. Hubbard, Tyler; and E. R. Hubbard, Purdon; four daughters, Mrs. Mandy Harrison, Coolidge; Mrs. Julia Flanagan, Waco; Mrs. Betty Black and Mrs. Belcher, both of Corsicana, and other relatives.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

Miss Effie McCord is visiting her niece, Mrs. T. C. McMullan, at Tupelo.



Life is like painting a picture. Just as an artist dips a brush in oils and produces upon a canvas the colors and designs which make a picture, so our words, thoughts, and deeds blend together to make the picture of our lives. Edgar A. Guest has written "I'm painting now the picture that I'll some day see. I'm filling in a canvas that will soon come back to me."

The apostle Paul was teaching that our lives are like pictures when he wrote, "Study to show thyself approved to God." Literally he was saying, "Study to present your life a beautiful picture to God."

The painting of a picture implies a model. Christ is the model we must follow in painting a Christian life. Paul exhorts, "Be ye imitators together of me even as I am of Christ."

Let us paint the lovely picture of a godly life. Then, one day when our eyes close in death, the picture will be taken out of the frame, the earthly body. In the resurrection morn, God will give the picture a suitable frame, a glorified body, and place it forever in the halls of heaven.

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SENATE REJECTED DR. GODLEY MEMBER STATE HEALTH BOARD

AUSTIN, June 4.—(AP)—The senate in a cleanup of last minute appointees made by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson today rejected Dr. L. O. Godley of Fort Worth to be a member of the state board of health.

Five other appointees were confirmed. They were:

Joe C. Denton of Bonham and D. L. Burgess of Bowie, as members of the state board of embalming.

Mrs. Ella Mae Murphy of Corpus Christi reappointed as a member of the state cosmetology board.

Jake D. Sandefer, Jr., of Breckenridge as a member of the state park board.

R. D. Wright of Wharton to be a member of the Lower Colorado River Authorities.

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cus, 4,000 Bedouins of the Fadel tribe wanted to attack French barracks, and at Hama other Bedouins kept the British alert. At Deraa and Soueiba the French were taken out under armored guard, and Damascus itself was under an 8 p. m. curfew rule. French barracks in the heart of the Syrian capital were about to be evacuated.

Break With French.

The Syrians, Acting Premier Jamil Mardam of Syria said, have broken relations completely with the French and will not resume them except on a normal diplomatic plane, without any advantages to the French.

In Cairo Premier Abdel Hamid Karaman of Lebanon and Saadullyah El Gabry, president of the Syrian chamber of deputies, asserted in a joint statement last night that the French had used lend-lease supplies in the Syrian fighting. De Gaulle had denied this.

The joint statement asserted that Syria and Lebanon would "fight until every single house is destroyed and every native is killed, in order to keep our independence. We will not sign any treaty with France."

Sick and Convalescent

P. and S. Hospital

S. C. Scruggs is a medical patient.

Mrs. Evelyn Flaxman underwent a tonsilleectomy Monday.

Mrs. Roy Thompson underwent an operation Monday morning.

A son was born to Mrs. R. L. Long, Kerens, Route 3, Sunday.

Mrs. Lod C. Allison was able to go home Monday.

E. F. Wells is still a patient.

A woman received first aid treatment late Sunday afternoon for an accidental knife wound in the arm, received while on a fishing trip. Two stitches were required to close the wound. She was discharged after treatment.

Remember The Tin Can Drive June 10.



GERMANS ON TRIAL FOR YANKS' MURDER—Three Germans, charged with murdering American airman, go to trial at Ahrweiler, Germany, before a military commission. They are (L. to R.) Peter Kohn, 32, of Priest, crane operator; Matthias Gierens, 37, a Priest railroad worker, and Matthias Krein, 44, a blacksmith. Peter J. Carroll, Associated Press photographer with the wartime still picture pool, made this photo. (AP Wirephoto via Signal Corps Radio from London)



MANILA HARBOR ONCE MORE OPENS TO TRAFFIC—Two ships are tied up at the newly-conditioned Pier 5, South Harbor (foreground) of Manila, Philippine Islands, while others await turns to discharge cargo. At left center and in background are sunken Jap ships still to be removed. (AP Wirephoto)

Hollywood *Sights . . . . and Sounds*

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD — Gentlemen, don't you wish you had Bunnie Gardel's job?

She is the gal who spreads makeup on Betty Grable's legs, who tints Alice Faye's shoulders, who colors Gene Tierney's torso. And more so.

"You see, makeup men can only do the face and the front of the neck," Bunnie explained. That leaves the ears, the back of the neck and everything else to ladies like Bunnie. And sometimes she has to do everything else, too.

"Take 'The Dolly Sisters' for example," she said. "In that picture Betty Grable and June Haver wore a couple of mesh costumes which you could see right through. That meant that they had to be made up from head to toe."

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"AREN'T some stars a little disturbed by such goings on?"

Bunnie intimated that some of the newer actresses wonder, "Is this strip necessary?" But they get used to it and take it in stride," she says.

"Which star would you rather make up?"

"That's easy—Betty Grable. She's wonderful to work with. And there's something about her skin that makes it so easy to put the makeup on."

"Aren't some of the actresses ticklish?"

"Yes, quite a few. I guess Jane Withers was the most ticklish I ever knew. She was always giggling while I was working on her. Maureen O'Hara is very ticklish about the ears. She has a dickens of a time while I'm trying to make them up."

Bunnie uses the ordinary pancake type of makeup and applies it with a sponge. When the actress goes in swimming, as Gene Tierney does in "Leave Her to Heaven," she has to use a grease makeup which won't come off in the water.

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"BODY makeup is helpful in making an actress look fat or thin," said Bunny, who has painted away excess poundage for many a star.

"By making the side of the thigh darker than the rest of the leg, the star will appear to be thinner than she really is. Likewise, by painting it lighter, she will appear to be heavier."

However, girls, don't go painting your heavier areas with makeup. The illusion is good only for the camera.

"Is body makeup used outside of the movies?"

"I don't think so," Bunny said, "except on legs to create the illusion of stockings."

Perhaps you are a doubter. If so, try this experiment; next time you see a bathing beauty with what looks to be a manufactured tan, rub a wet finger on her midriff and see what happens.

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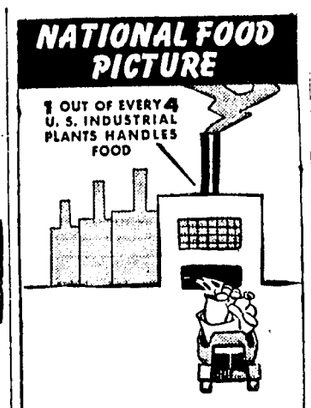
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Supreme Court Turns Down Plea Of Convicted Negro

WASHINGTON, June 4.—(AP)—The Supreme Court today rejected a negro's contention that he was discriminated against because only one negro served on the grand jury which indicted him on a murder charge.

The decision was in the case of L. C. Akins, convicted in Dallas county, Texas, and sentenced to die for the slaying of V. L. Morris.

Justice Reed delivered the high tribunal's 6-3 decision. Chief Justice State and Justices Black and Murphy dissented.

Akins asserted the grand jury commissioners "deliberately and intentionally limited the number of citizens of the negro race to one that they would consider or permit to serve" on the grand jury. He also said the trial judge, A. R. Stout of Ellis county, Texas, was not properly assigned to the Dallas county court.

SURRENDER

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acquaintance with many Japanese dignitaries and his service as aide-de-camp to Prince and Princess Takamatsu during their visit to the United States in 1931.

Future In Own Hands.

Concluding the captain tells the Japanese:

"Your future lies in your own hands. You can choose between a wasteful, unclean death for many of your forces or a peace with honor."

Zacharias says:

"We attacked Hollandia with 200 ships, Saipan with 600 ships, Iwo Jima with 800, Luzon with 1,000 and Okinawa with 1,400 ships. Thus within the last year we increased the strength of our attack against you seven times in the same year we landed in Europe and defeated Germany."

On May 2 the Japanese home radio instructed the people of Tokyo to deliver the leaflets immediately to the nearest police station and promised punishment for negligence.

BLASTS

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mated number of Germans missing and believed buried under debris.

Four Americans and 18 Germans seriously injured.

Ten Americans and 46 Germans slightly hurt.

Most of the German casualties were police and police auxiliaries.

The American dead were a sergeant interpreter, a private courier for the military government and a Marine captain who was recently attached to counter-intelligence here after long service in the Pacific.

A four-story green-camouflaged brick building in downtown Bremen, which until 40 days ago housed German SS detachments, the police headquarters was shattered as if by a wartime blockbuster shortly before 11 a. m.

Two walls facing the inner courtyard of the building collapsed in a burning mass of rubble which covered nearly a dozen military vehicles parked there.

Ammunition Explodes.

Confiscated German ammunition which had been stored in a ground floor room continued to explode for a half-hour while German firemen fought the blaze and international rescue squads searched for victims.

Major Kennedy was on the third floor at the time of the blasts and escaped with a cut forehead.

"The first blast panicked a big line of civilians in the hall outside my office, and I tried to quiet them," he said. "The second blast, in a minute or two, blew me through a door into another room choked with dust and screaming people.

"The only thing I can figure for a cause was a delayed action bomb. The ammunition we had stacked up downstairs was all shells."

With the German police chief, Robert Schloemer, who was only slightly hurt, Kennedy stayed at the scene through the afternoon directing police squads.

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SUBMARINE'S DARING SURFACE ATTACK ON CONVOY AT ANCHOR

WASHINGTON, June 4.—(AP)—A submarine's daring surface attack on a Japanese convoy at anchor in water too shallow to permit a dive won high honors for the vessel's skipper and crew.

The submarine, the U. S. S. Barb sent so many enemy ships to the bottom they couldn't be counted in the clear-cut get-away.

The navy told the story today. It is one Secretary Forrestal said he regretted security forbade his revealing when he awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor last March 23 to Comdr. Eugene B. Fluckey, the Barb's commanding officer. In addition, the Barb has been awarded the Presidential Unit Citation.

Fluckey, of Indianapolis, Md., took his ship on what appeared to be virtually a suicide mission because the anchored convoy was hidden behind a protecting screen of escorts concentrating on every logical approach.

The water was so shallow Fluckey knew the attacking submarine would have to remain surfaced during its approach and for at least an hour after the attack.

In the Barb's favor, it was night, and visibility was poor. Cautiously, the Barb approached its quarry, maneuvering for position which would assure a number of torpedo hits.

Moved Through Screen.

Silently the Barb moved through the escort screen, every man tense. Reaching the planned attack position, she let go with everything she had, gave full right rudder, and moved toward the rock-strewn water at high speed. From the bridge, Fluckey watched Japanese ships all around him erupting like volcanoes.

"Columns of fire leaped from several vessels," the navy reported. "The first target was seen to settle in the water. Some vessels that were hit were obscured by others burning in the line of vision. Pillars of smoke poured skyward. The side of one vessel blew out like the fired magazine of a warship. Two ships exploded and sent a shower of tracers in all directions."

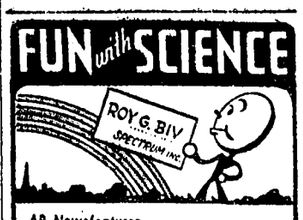
As Fluckey had hoped, the anchored junks impeded and confused the pursuers as the Barb "highballed" for open water.

Also, as he had hoped, the pursuers were discouraged by the rocks, through which the Barb ran like a broken field runner.

The navy did not disclose the date or the location of the attack.

THE MIGHTY 7th WAR LOAN

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AP Newsfeatures

"ROY G. BIV" is a name pretty well known in scientific circles—yet no such name appears on any list of ancient or modern scientists. The name, letter by letter, is used to recall the order in which colors appear in the spectrum (or rainbow): Red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet.

PHILIPPINES

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counted and 503 prisoners taken in the Philippines in the past week, against American casualties of 225 killed and 657 wounded for the same period.

Overall Japanese casualties were given at 385,480 for the entire campaign, which began last October. American casualties are around 50,000.

Planes based in the Philippines and East Indies ravaged Japanese positions and shipping from Formosa through the China Sea to New Guinea.

Liberators unloaded 275 tons on Takao, Formosa airdrome sector.

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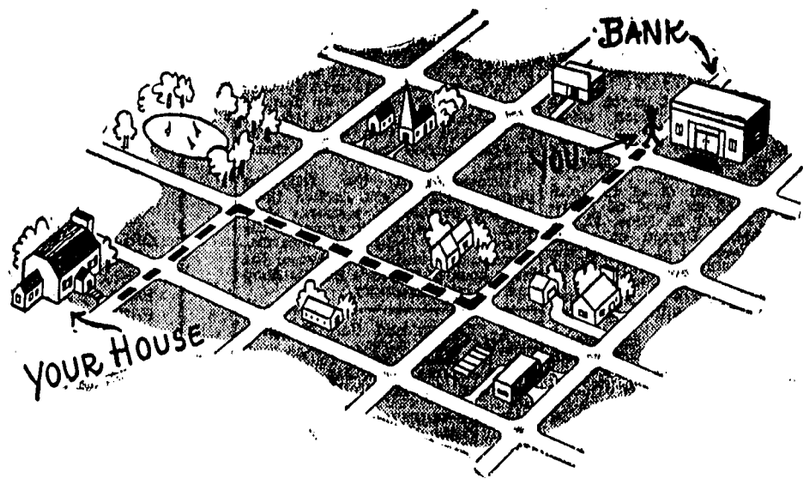
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Bad enough to risk prolonging the war by even so much as 30 thunderous seconds?

Bad enough to tamper dangerously with the life you've planned for your family and yourself when peace comes?

If you need the money that badly, Mister, okay.

But we hope you don't.

Keep faith with our fighters
Buy War Bonds for keeps

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3 - - BIG NIGHTS - - 3
Thursday - - Friday - - Saturday
June 7, 8, 9, - - - 8:30 P. M.

- - - Featuring - - -
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Tickets to the Big Show Will Be On Sale Monday in the Lobby of Hotel Navarro.

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FIRST METHODIST PASTOR BRINGS TWO EXCELLENT SERMONS

The pastor, Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, preached at both hours at the First Methodist church Sunday. As his morning subject he used the theme, "Exploring the Unexplored." The choir brought special music. Night services were resumed with the pastor preaching from the subject, "Accepting the Unalterable." The choir brought special music and one united with the church. At the night hour the pastor called attention to the fact that while we were entering the vacation and summer season that this was no time to let up in the support of the church. He said it took more loyalty to attend the services and keep up an active church life in the summer than at any other period in the year. He asked the congregation to stand by the church this summer.

At the morning hour the speaker stated that it was said that there is nothing new under the sun, but he stated that there are many things under the sun unseen by human eye. The power of the gospel is unseen by the eye. The speaker stated that the only way that Christianity could be carried to non-Christians was the life lived by those who professed the name of Christ.

At the church school hour Dorothy Smith was the leader in the Senior High department; Guy M. Gibson tanght the brotherhood Bible class; J. S. Tekell taught the Young Men's Bible class; Mrs. Sam Werner's class of boys had charge of the program in the Intermediate department; Boyce Martin presided in the adult department; Mrs. Sam Worner met with and planned summer activities for the Youth Fellowship.

Among the activities for the week is a meeting of the Boy Scouts Monday night, Choir rehearsal Wednesday night and also on the same night the annual fish fry at the McCammon Lodge by the Young Men's Bible class. On Thursday night the Corsicana sub-district Youth Fellowship will meet at the Central Methodist Church.

SOME DAMAGE OVER WEEKEND BY STRONG WINDS IN COUNTY

Strong winds caused slight damage in several sections of the county over the week end, according to reports received here Monday morning. Telephone lines were out to Frost for a short time, due to the high winds. Several other towns and communities reported limbs blown from trees and light damage done.

Good rains fell in some sections of the county, while in others no rain fell at all. Light hail, not enough to do any damage, was also reported from several sections. Considerable lightning accompanied the wind and rain Sunday night, several communities reported.

Eureka reported a good rain with light hail accompanied by a strong wind Sunday night. No material damage was done there.

Kerens reported a heavy rain Saturday and Sunday nights with considerable wind Sunday night. Some limbs were blown from trees there but no other damage was reported.

Roane reported only a light shower Saturday night. A streng wind blew there Sunday night and there was considerable lightning.

Only a light shower fell at Emhouse, but it was accompanied by a strong wind and an electrical storm.

Dawson reported a fairly good rain and no damage from high winds.

Richland had a high wind Sunday night but no damage was reported. Only a light shower fell.

High winds and an electrical storm were reported from Rice but no rain fell.

Only light showers fell in Corsicana, the total rainfall over the week end being .26 of an inch.

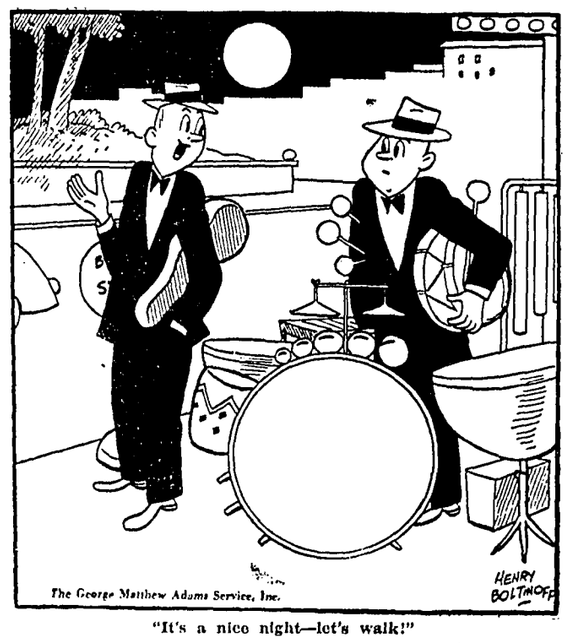
Seabees Find Fliers.

SUBIC BAY, Luzon--(Delayed)--(AP)--A Seabee search party organized to find six missing American flyers killed six Japs in the rugged Zambales mountains.

In the searching group was Chief Petty Officers Fred Sacders, Denison, Texas, and Albert Coleman, Victoria, Texas.

The story is another example of the Seabees' way of combining combat with construction exploits since the start of the acific war. The men were members of the 102nd Navy Construction Battalion.

Mrs. J. S. Callicutt and daughter, Mrs. E. T. Casler, left on Sunday for Freer to visit in the home of John Callicutt and family.



"It's a nice night—let's walk!"

Courthouse News

District Court.

The grand jury has been called to meet Thursday, June 7. The probers have been in recess, subject to call, for the past several weeks.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the eleventh week of the April term of the district court for the week beginning Tuesday, June 12:

C. E. Rooney, Emhouse; W. A. Lang, Corsicana; Byron Humphries, Corsicana; R. H. Beale, Corsicana 1; H. T. Wallace, Corsicana; A. B. Tanner, Purdon 1; W. B. Roberts, Purdon; J. C. Buie, Corsicana; Bell White, Jr., Corsicana; J. O. Warren, Corsicana; W. M. Hurley, Corsicana; Paul Hudgins, Corsicana; Clark Butler, Corsicana; W. M. Forester, Corsicana; G. C. Rogers, Corsicana; F. C. Curtis, Corsicana; J. D. Lawhorn, Corsicana; E. M. Hopwood, Corsicana; Douglas Almond, Corsicana; G. H. Swafford, Rice. C. E. Haddox, Corsicana; T. J. Walters, Corsicana; Charles Steely, Corsicana; Ed Murphy, Corsicana; Hubert Braselton, Corsicana; R. S. Bell, Corsicana 1; Dewey Tyner, Wortham 2; Sneal Hamilton, Corsicana; Kerr Cowan, Corsicana; W. B. Williams, Corsicana; J. Silverberg, Corsicana; J. L. Scott, Corsicana; L. M. Fauber, Corsicana; Jack Roberts, Corsicana, and J. E. Butler, Jr., Corsicana.

The grand jury is scheduled to resume its work Thursday morning after being in recess for some time.

R. L. Robertson vs. Rosie Lee Robertson, divorce granted.

Viva White vs. Grover White, divorce granted.

Lillie May Brownlee vs. Marvie Brownlee, divorce granted.

George Wilburn vs. Rosa Bell Wilburn, divorce granted.

District Clerk's Office.

The following 62 civil cases were filed during May:

To set aside award of industrial accident board, 3; application to adopt a minor child, 2; injunction and damage 1; partition, 4; damages 4; to remove disabilities of minority, 1; injunction 1; child custody, 1; divorce and injunction, 1; possession of slot machine, 1; divorce 43.

Wilson Scott vs. Dale Scott, divorce.

County Clerk's Office.

There were 45 marriage licenses issued during May.

County Court.

Lenale Williams entered a plea of guilty to a charge of violating the prohibition laws Friday afternoon and was sentenced to one day in jail and costs by L. L. Powell, county judge.

A negro and negress were adjudged of unsound minds in trials conducted Friday afternoon.

Probate Court.

Application to file the will of Bennie E. Siler, deceased, has been filed.

Sheriff's Office.

There were 68 lodged in the county jail during May. One was placed under $1,000 peace bond on complaint of neighbors in the southwestern section of town following considerable trouble a couple of days ago. One person was booked on an insanity complaint, and two were arrested for investigation into theft charges. A white man wanted for desertion from the U. S. Army was arrested by county officers near Dawson Thursday afternoon.

Four were arrested on threats to take a human life and $1,000 peace bonds were set by Judge A. E. Foster. This was a continuance of a series of disturbances in the southwest part of town earlier in the week, and brought to five the number of persons under peace bonds. One was arrested on an intoxication charge, one for driving while intoxicated, and one for intoxication and breaking of a window light, Sheriff Cap Curington revealed Saturday morning.

Two were fined on intoxication charges, one for violating the prohibition laws, two for theft, one for aggravated assault, and a negro for threatening a white man with a knife, Sheriff Cap Curington revealed Monday morning.

Justice Court.

One was fined for failure to display a 1945 license plate and without proper registraiton papers, and one was fined for operating a motor vehicle with an improper extension of a truck bed before Judge W. H. Johnson.

One was fined for operating a truck without papers and one man was placed under a peace bond before Judge A. E. Foster.

One was fined for operating a truck without a commercial license, one for not displaying a 1945 license plate and two for operating trucks without proper registration papers before Judge W. H. Johnson.

One was fined on a charge of operating a motor vehicle without license before Judge A. E. Foster.

One was fined on a speeding charge, one for passing a car on a hill and one for operating a trailer without proper papers during the week end by Judge W. H. Johnson.

Two were fined on intoxication charges Monday morning, and a theft and burglary charge was filed before Judge A. E. Foster.

Marriage License.

Edwin W. French and Alyne Thummel.

John W. Arnold, Jr., and Barbara Harper.

Walter Wolfe and Maud Mueller Burleson.

Robert Carlisle Dyer and Bettie Jean Musse.

Robert Thornton Walthall, Jr., and Mary Upchurch.

Willard Slater Rutherford and Jewel Faye Gotcher.

Edgar F. Quigg and Josephine Jolly.

Assignment.

O. M. Fuller et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 61 1-2 acres John Richardson survey, $1 and other considerations.

Robert L. Childress to J. E. Davant, 155.26 acres Lewis Powell survey, $10 and other considerations.

Warranty Deeds.

R. P. Bates, et ux, to T. A. Blakeney, et ux, a lot 72.2x150 feet in block 557, Corsicana, $900.

Robert B. Hogg to George W. Beasley, Lots 3, 4, and 5, Block 418, Corsicana $500.

P. T. Fullwood et ux to Elmer A. Purifoy, part of block 408-B, Corsicana, $2.250.

P. T. Fullwood et ux to E. C. Holloway, part of block 408-B, Corsicana, $1,500.

Harvie Parrish et ux to J. T. Fulton, 61 acres John Murphy survey, $900.

Joe B. Fortson et al to John R. Bowden et ux, part of Divisions 7, 8, 16 and 21, Rice, $7,124.

Mrs. Fidella Bryson et al to John W. Howell et al, part of the George Hempling survey, $2,640.

Hubert T. Braselton et ux to L. S. Keen, 48.8 acres J. P. Brown and William Hamilton surveys, $6,000.

Tony Myers et ux to Ernest Owens, 1-2 interest in 22 1-2 acres John L. Moss survey, $175.

O. E. Campbell to W. W. Olsen, Jr., lot 1, block 526-A, F. P. Ficklin Addition, Corsicana, $1,500 and other considerations.

Bill Hollis to O. E. Campbell lot 1, block 526-A, F. P. Ficklin Addition, Corsicana, $800 and other considerations.

Oil and Gas Leases.

Sam S. Tucker et al to J. L. Collins and Co., 52 acres D. W. Collins survey, $10.

W. H. Ross et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 70.5 acres D. W. Collins survey, $10.

Alice Jester Johnson et vir to J. L. Collins and Co., 286.3 acres William Haggard, Jacob A. Bracket, Radford Ellis and E. Sanders surveys, $10.

George Tucker et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 50 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

F. M. Love to J. L. Collins and Co., 30 acres James Hamilton survey, $10.

Beauford H. Jester et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 55.68 acres Radford Ellis and Jacob Albracket surveys, $10.

S. F. Gorman et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 81.33 acres Robert B. Ray and John Richardson surveys, $10.

Sudie M. Basham et vir to J. L. Collins and Co., 40.8 acres F. R. Kendall survey, $10.

N. F. Garrett et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 84.1-2 acres Robert B. Ray survey, $10.

Vera Kerr et vir to J. L. Collins and Company, 61 acres Radford Ellis survey, $10.

Lora J. Cunningham to J. L. Collins and Co., 84.3 acres William R. Bowen survey, $10.

Inez Kerr Woodrow et vir to J. L. Collins and Co., 69 acres Radford Ellis survey, $10.

J. R. Gentry et al to R. L. Wheelock, 120 acres James Hamilton and D. W. Collins survey, $10.

Murphy Williams et ux et al to J. L. Collins and Co., 244 acres Lewis Powell survey, $10.

H. V. Fullerton et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 85 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

Sam S. Tucker et al to J. L. Collins and Co., 70.57 acres Beauchamp survey, $10.

Newton Roman et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 20 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

W. A. Nokes et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 20.06 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

Ethel B. Roman to J. L. Collins and Co., 306.98 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

W. C. Nokes et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 32.8 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

T. W. Lake et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 15 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

R. D. Fleming to J. L. Collins and Co., 240.76 acres John Beauchamp survey, $10.

J. E. Taylor et ux to J. L. Collins and Co., 85 acres A. Lamartaine survey, $10.

Sydney Marks et al to J. L. Collins and Co., 121.03 acres Jonas DeArman survey, $10.

Mark Wilburn Anderson, Jr., to G. B. France, 30.62 acres W. P. Kincannon survey, $10.

Ensign Norman Werner has returned to New Orleans, La., following a short visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Werner. Ensign Werner has recently been assigned to the Communications Office, Federal Building, Eighth Naval District, in New Orleans.



My voice has been better than usual lately. Could that new wallpaper from Cameron's have anything to do with it?

AGED ODD FELLOW VISITS CORSICANA; IS FORMER RESIDENT

Early day incidents, persenages and buildings were readily recalled by H. T. McCarthy, aged 94 years, Oklahoma City, former Corsicanan, on a visit here Friday with Corsicana Lodge No. 63, IOOF. He was honor guest Friday night at the annual fish fry sponsored by the Lodge with the families and Rebekahs honor guests.

The aged Odd Fellow was initiated into the IOOF Lodge here August 26, 1875.

A native of Georgia, he came to Dallas in 1869, and was a Corsicana resident from 1874 through 1876, and was employed in a furniture store and at other jobs. He recalled the construction of the old opera house on Beaton street late in 1874, and spoke of the Jester Brothers, J. L. Whiteselle, Roger Q. Mills, congressman and senator, whom he termed a great and good man; Fox Martin, John H. Minor, architect; Dick Hubbard, Jim Hogg, Texas statesman, and others.

McCarthy said that he had run greyhounds in what is now East Corsicana, and spoke of dances and other entertainments in the early days of this community.

The aged Odd Fellow resided in Tyler several years, and was a contractor. He participated in the Cherokee Strip rush in Oklahoma near Enid, in 1893, and homesteaded and filed on a block of land. McCarthy attends the annual celebration frequently at Enid.

His wife died a number of years ago and he makes his home with a daughter in Oklahoma City. A grandson was killed while fighting the Germans, April, 1944.

ROUTINE MATTERS OCCUPIED MEETING OF COMMISSIONERS

Routine matters and several bond calls featured the regular meeting of the commisioners court Friday morning. All members of the court were present.

The application of Jack Garner, Dawson constable, for the appointment of Alvin Parrish as deputy, salary $40 per month to be paid from fees of office, was allowed.

The May report of Victorine Watson, negro home demonstration agent, was accepted and filed.

Bond calls were authorized for the following road districts and amounts:

District No. 4—$4,000.
District No. 5—$2,000.
District No. 10—$500.
District No. 15—Numbers 31 and 32—$2,000.

The quarterly report of George T. Bradley, county treasurer, for the period beginning, February 1, and ending April 30, 1945, was accepted and approved.

Claims were allowed except as noted on the claim docket.

Corporation Court.

A man was arrested in the 100 block of North Commerce street for intoxication.

Another man was arrested in the 300 block of North Main street for intoxication, and placed in jail.

Two men were arrested on North Ninth street for affray.

Thee men were arrested in a local coffee shop for fighting.

Seven cars were tagged over the week end for overtime parking at meters.

A negro man was arrested in the 500 block of East Fifth avenue and held for investigation.

A negro man was arrested for the theft of a bicycle and placed in jail.

A negro man with six pints and one quart of whiskey in his possession w s arrested for violatiton of the prohibition law and placed jail.

A negro was arrested in Houston by the police department and held there for the local police department of charges of theft and burglary of a Corsicana residence. He was returned to this city by Commissioner Fred Prince and Officer K. A. Blakeney, and placed in the city jail.

Vehicles driven by A. D. Locklar, 1428 West Seventh avenue, and Donald A. Wright, route 4, were in collision Saturday at North Seventh and Third. There was no damage to Locklar's truck, but the left side of Wright's car was smashed. The two men settled the damages themselves.

Officers found the following places unlocked and locked them for the owners: a stairway door back of McAdam's Pharmacy; the front door of Buie Implement Co., Corsicana Laundry Warehouse; the back door of Taylor's Saddle Shop and Navarro Laundry.



IN GERMANY—Pvt. Roy Irvin Pate, 18, U. S. Army, infantry, has arrived in Germany, according to information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Pate, 302 Wes Seventh avenue, and his wife, Mrs. Doris Pate, 708 South Twelfth street. Entering the service December 6, 1944, he had been stationed at Camp Wolters and Ft. Meade, Md.

RATIONING ROUNDUP

AS OF MONDAY, JUNE 4.
By The Associated Press.

MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book 4 red stamps E2 through J2 good through Juno 30; K2 through P2 good through July 31; Q2 through U2 good through Aug. 31; V2 through June 30; T2 through X2.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book 4 blue stamps N2 through S2 good through June 30; T2 through Z2 good through July 31; V2, Z2 and A1 through C1 good through Aug. 31; D1 through T1 good through Sept. 30.

SUGAR—Book 4 stamp 36 good for five pounds through Aug. 31. Next stamp valid Sept. 1.

SHOES—Book 3 airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any. Next stamp valid Aug. 1.

GASOLINE—15A coupons good for four gallons each through June 21; 16A coupons become valid June 22 for six gallons each. B6, B7, C6 and C7 coupons good for five gallons each. Ration boards will accept applications for increased B rations beginning June 11.

Mrs. Mose Blumrosen has returned from Ft. Bliss, El Paso, where she has been visiting her son, Pvt. J. R. Blumrosen, who has recently returned from the European theater of operations and is now a patient in the Beaumont General Hospital.

NATIVE OF NAVARRO COUNTY DIED LAST NIGHT IN TRINIDAD

J. S. Hagle, aged 66 years, native of Raleigh, Navarro county, died at his home in Trinidad Thursday night.

Funeral services were held from the Dresden church with burial in the Dresden cemetery Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The rites were conducted by Rev. Zane Mason and Rev. Moore. The Masons had charge of the rites at the grave.

Surviving are his wife of Trinidad; a son Maurice Hagle, Goose Creek; two daughters, Mrs. Maurine Tiner and Mrs. B. G. Ridens, both of Highlands, Texas; three grandchildren, three brothers, Mack Hagle, Corsicana; Tom Hagle, Ardmore, Oklahoma, and Frank Hagle, Della; two sisters, Mrs. Jo Ann Toole, Ennis, and Mrs. Mary Hagle, Powell, and other relatives.

Corley Funeral Home directed.

Sgt. Billy Palmeri Sends Jewelry From India To His Family

Sgt. Billy Palmeri's family could almost open a jewelry store if they wished.

From Karachi, India, where he is stationed, Sergeant Palmeri has sent his mother, Mrs. Joe Palmeri, 830 West Seventh avenue, and sisters, several pieces of interesting jewelry which he designed himself.

Fashioned or rubies, pearls, sapphires, opals and simulated diamonds, the unusual geegaws were made for Palmeri by a jeweler-silversmith in Karachi. He sent four rings, two necklaces, a lapel pin, a bracelet and ear rings. The jewelry is quite valuable here in the states.

Revival To Begin At Church Of Christ On Tenth Avenue

A revival will begin Wednesday, June 6, at the Church of Christ, 1620 West Tenth avenue. T. F. Strother of Fort Worth will conduct the revival Services begin at 8:30 p. m. The meeting will last through June 16. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Asks Release From Pastorate.

AMARILLO, June 4.—(AP)—Dr. R. Thomsen, pastor of the First Presbyterian church here and chairman of the board of Trinity University, has asked for his release from duties as a pastor. Dr. Thomsen has served the Amarillo church 35 years, the longest tenure of any Presbyterian pastor in Texas.

MRS. Z. T. HODGE DIED NOON MONDAY; RITES ARE PENDING

Mrs. Z. T. Hodges, aged 66 years, died at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic at noon Monday.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed at press hour Monday, but will be held from the Corley Funeral Chapel with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

Mrs. Hodge, a native of Tennessee, was the widow of the late Dr. Z. T. Hodge, and had resided in this community 41 years.

Surviving are two sons, W. C. Hodge, Corsicana, and Marion Hodge, Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. E. C. Guy, and a brother, Joe Forsythe, both of Spencer, Tenn.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE OIL AND GAS LEASE.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Navarro County, Texas, will accept sealed bids until 10:00 A. M., July 2, 1945, for an Oil and Gas lease on 79.527 acres of land out of the Thomas Morrow Survey in Navarro County, Texas. Said tract of land is known as the Navarro County Farm.

Rights to reject all bids are hereby reserved.

Given under my hand this the 4th day of June, A. D., 1945.

L. L. POWELL,
County Judge,
Navarro County, Texas.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Part of a church
6. Make a mistake
8. Kind of bean
12. Broad smile
13. Meadow
14. First man
15. Tear
16. Stone to death
18. While
19. Style of type
21. English letter
22. Island near West Point
24. Small fish
25. Strange
26. Slow musical movements
28. Weep convulsively
30. Favorite
31. Support for plaster
33. Greek letter
36. Deepest within
38. Ancient Roman officials
40. Cook slowly
41. Rodent
43. Sort
44. Insect
46. Lowers in value
48. Nocturnal bird
50. Philippine mountain
52. Annoys
53. Palm lily
54. Work
56. Symbol for calcium
58. Entrapped
60. Scent
62. Depend
63. Before
64. Easy gait
65. African antelope
66. Donkey
67. On the ocean

DOWN

1. City of the Taj Mahal
2. Chief executive
3. Transgression
4. Termination
5. Feminine name
6. One who depicts actualities
7. Fast
8. Boys
9. Mountain in Crete
10. Defeated at chess
11. Improve
17. Chills
20. Reverse side of a coin
23. Cereal
25. Four-sided tapering stone pillar
26. Genus of the honey bee
27. Solemn assertion
29. West Indian sorcery
32. Present
34. Optical instrument
35. Requests
37. Acknowledge
39. Charge
42. Worshipers
45. Bark of the paper mulberry
47. Small surrounding area
48. County in Colorado
49. German theologian
51. Region beyond Jordan from Jerusalem
54. Precious stone
55. Fruit drinks
57. Open court
59. Roguish
61. Dowry



Solution Friday's Puzzle.

HASP SOFA BAR
ALAR ODIN ARE
PICO DONE LIP
STONE RAM LEA
OLD LONELY
PERUKES NOT
ERIN PACED GO
RAG LOTUS ALL
US NITER AGUE
SOB DIPLOMA
TENREC OUT
IRA ROC NEPAL
TOT ARAB RARE
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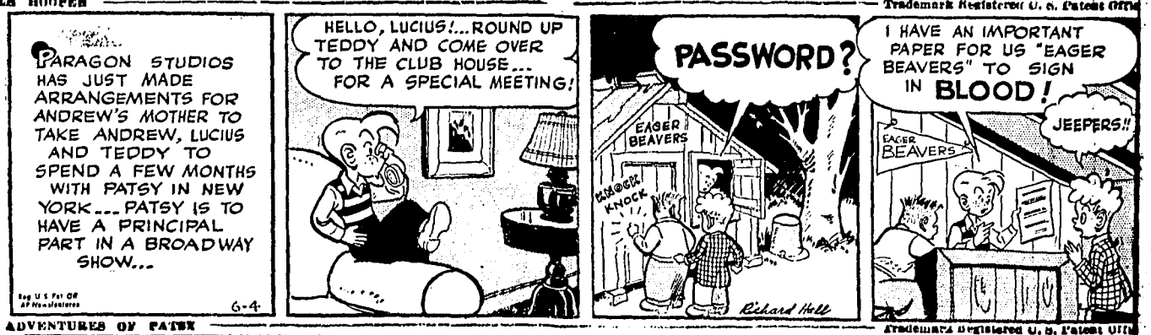
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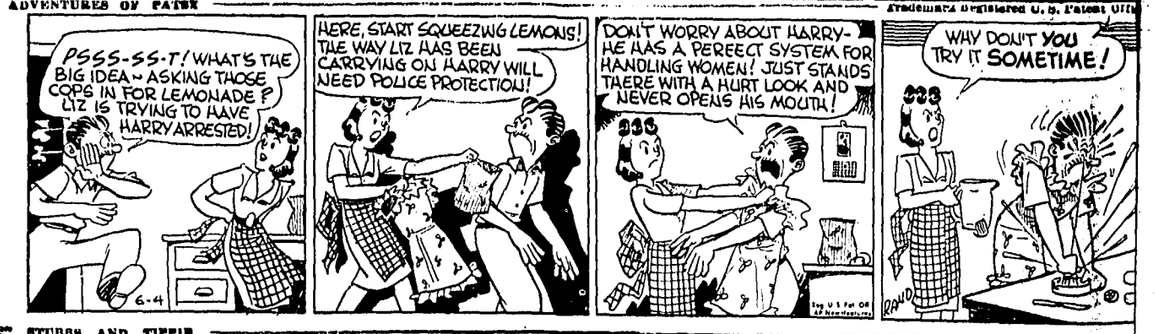
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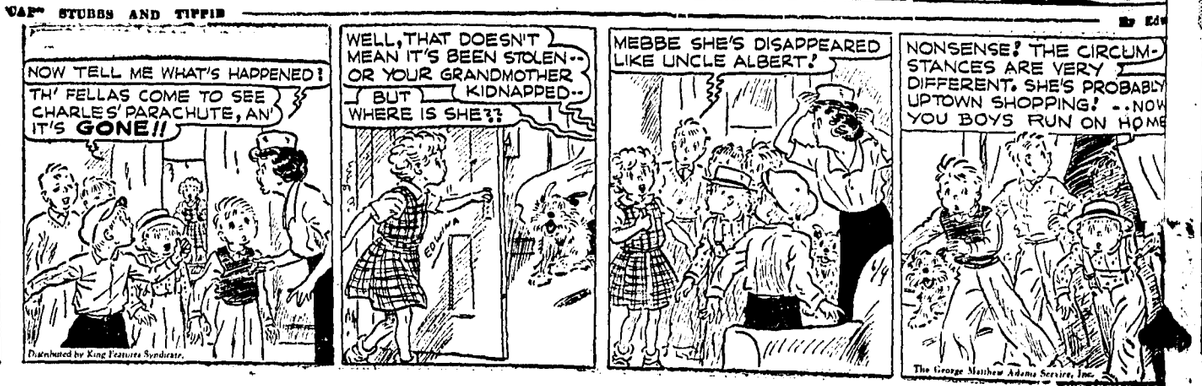
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WAR STUBBS AND TIFFIE



Lieut. Blakeney Weds Lieut. Nash In Post Chapel

Lieut. Barbara Elaine Blakeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Blakeney, became the bride of Lieut. Clarence Nash, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Nash of San Antonio on Friday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the post chapel of Camp Howze, Gainesville, with Chaplain Autrey officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore the light beige uniform of the American Nursing Corps, and carried a white Bible, topped with gardenias. Lieut. Lois Critz of Fayetteville, Ark., served as maid of honor and Lieut. Harry J. Thornton attended the bridegroom as best man.

Lieut. Richard Towle contributed the processional and recessional, and played accompaniments for Pvt. Henry Wadsworth who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Immediately following the ceremony, an informal reception was held at the Officers' Club, where the bride's table was attractively adorned with pink rosebuds fashioned in double ring contour. Lt. Louise Barney presided at the wedding cake and Lt. Elspeth Cavin of San Angelo served punch.

The bride is a graduate of Corsicana High school and Baylor University School of Nursing Dallas. She also attended Texas State College for Women. The bridegroom attended San Antonio Junior College before entering the U. S. army.

After a wedding trip to Mexico, the couple will be at home at Camp Howze where they are now stationed.

Out of town guests in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Blakeney and son, Tommy, of Corsicana; Miss Ann Blakeney of San Angelo, Mrs. Henry Easterling, Miss Josephine Crawford and Miss Pauline Haddox of Dallas.

Miss Kathleen Dunn And FO Ben Weaver Married In Dallas

The marringe of Miss Kathleen Dunn, a former resident of Corsicana, to Flight Officer William P. Weaver, son of Mrs. Ben P Weaver of Fort Wayne, Ind., has been announced by her parents, Sgt. and Mrs. Jack D. Orr of Dallas. The wedding took place Saturday at 4 o'clock at Love Field chapel.

Miss Delia Nitterberg of Fort Worth and Flight Officer Jack E. Spencer of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., were attendants. J. Harvey Dunn of Alice gave his daughter in marriage.

The bride attended Gulf Park, Gulfport, Miss. Alice High school, Incarnate Word in San Antonio and the University of Texas, where she was pledged to Chi Omega sorority. The bridegroom is a former student of Indiana University, where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

Major Warren Hall, Jr. Arrives In States

Major Warren Hall, Jr., has arrived in Miami, Fla., from the European Theatre of operations, and following a several days' stay at Fort Sam Houston, is expected to arrive in Corsicana by Sunday, according to a message received by his wife and daughter, Camille, at an early hour today.

Major Hall has served as a chaplain with the 34th Division in Africa and Italy during the past three years and five months.

Married Here Saturday.

Robert Thornton Walthall, Jr., Fort Worth, and Mrs. Mary Upchurch of Houston, former teacher in the IOOF Home here, were married here Saturday afternoon at the home of Judge A. E. Foster, 741 West Park avenue, who performed the ceremony.

David Ralston, assistant county attorney, was a Little Rock, Ark., visitor during the week-end.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, June 4.—(AP)—Demand for steels, together with other assorted industrials and a few utilities, helped put brakes on sliding tendencies generally in evidence throughout today's stock market.

Transfers were in the neighborhood of 1,500,000 shares.

In front the greater portion of the session were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet, Republic Steel, Gulf Mobile and Ohio, Glenn Martin, North American, American Woolen, Consolidated Vuletee, Anaconda, American Smelting and Du Pont. Stumblers included N. Y. Central, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, Baltimore and Ohio, Canadian Pacific, U. S. Rubber, General Motors, Chrysler, Douglas Aircraft and American Water Works.

Bonds were uneven with carrier loans in supply.

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK, June 4.—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today:

Unit Corp 66,000 2 up 1-8.
Canad Pac 58,000 16 3-4 dn 5-8.
Laclede Gas 54,900 6 1-8 up 1-8.
Colum G&El 37,800 7 up 1-4.
Aviat Corp 29,600 7 7-8 no.
Am Pow&Lt 28,000 6 up 3-8.
Repub Stl 27,700 23 7-8 up 5-8.
Am Cab&Rad 26,300 11 3-8 dn 1-8.
Interlake Iron 21,400 10 3-4 up 5-8.
Gulf Mob&O 20,700 26 1-8 up 1 3-8.
NY Cen 19,400 28 3-8 dn 5-8.
Stone&Web 18,900 15 3-8 up 1-4.
Del Lack&W 18,700 14 5-8 dn 1-4.
Blaw Knox 15,400 15 3-4 up 3-4.
Con Vultee 14,800 23 1-8 up 1 1-4.

Am Airlines 7 58 1-2 58 58.
AT&T 33 171 1-2 171 171 3-8.
AT&SF 7 94 5-8 93 1-2 94.
Am Wool 107 15 3-8 14 3-4 15 1-4.
Anaconda 76 35 5-8 35 35 1-2.
Avia Corp 290 8 7 7-8 7 7-8.
Beth Steel 8? 80 7-8 79 1-4 80.
Branif. 8 21 7-8 21 3-4 21 3-4.
Chrysler 29 116 114 7-8 115 1-2.
Cont Mot 19 10 5-8 10 1-2 10 1-2.
Cont Oil Del 20 33 1-2 33 33 1-2.
Curtiss Wri 44 6 5 7-8 5 7-8.
Gen El 41 44 3-8 44 44 1-4.
Gen G&El A 4 4 1-8.
Gen Mot 35 69 1-4 68 3-4 69.
Goodrich(BF) 4 60 3-4 60 3-8 60 3-8.
Greyhd 14 27 3-8 27 1-8 27 1-8.
Gulf Oil 16 55 54 1-2 54 3-4.
Hous Oil 16 17 1-8 16 3-4 16 7-8.
Int Harv 6 87 1-2 87 1-4 87 1-4.
KC Sou 28 23 1-4 22 1-2 22 5-8.
Lockheed 42 24 23 1-4 24.
MKT 46 9 1-4 8 7-8 8 7-8.
Montgom W 19 65 64 1-4 64 1-2.
Natl Gyp 11 17 7-8 17 5-8 17 3-4.
No Am Av 15 10 3-8 10 1-8 10 3-8.
Ohio Oil 16 18 3-8 18 1-8 18 3-8.
Packard 57 6 3-4 6 5-8 6 5-8.
Pan Am Air 31 20 7-8 20 1-2 20 3-4.
Panh P&R 14 5 5-8 5 1-2 5 1-2.
Penney (JC) 1 121.
Phillips Pet 17 50 1-2 50 1-4 50 3-8.
Plym Oil 7 22 3-4 22 1-4 22 1-4.
Pure Oil 21 19 3-8 19 1-4 19 3-8.
Radio Cor A 94 12 1-8 11 7-8 11 7-8.
Repub Stl 275 24 1-4 23 1?8 23 7-8.
Sears 3 121 1-2 121 121.
Sinclair 78 16 3-8 16 1-8 16 3-8.
Socony Vac 59 16 3-8 16 1-4 16 3-8.
Sou Pac 72 49 1-4 48 49 1-4.
Std Oil Cal 14 43 42 3-4 43.
Std Ind 7 37 5-8 37 3-8 37 3-8.
Std NJ 18 63 1-4 62 3-4 62 7-8.
Tex Co 12 53 52 3-4 53.
Tex Gulf Prod 6 7 5-8.
Tex Gulf Sul 6 44 1-2 44 44 1-2.
Tex Pac C&O 16 20 7-8 20 1-2 20 3-4.
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US Rub 4 59 1-2 59 59.
US Steel 107 69 1-4 67 1-4 68 3-4.
West Un Tel A 32 49 48 1-4 48 1-4.
Woolw (FW) 18 48 47 1-2 47 7-8.

New York Curb.

Am Cyan B 4 41 1-2.
Ark Nat Gas A 26 5 1-4 5 1-8 5 1-8.
Cities Serv 86 21 1-8 20 5-8 21.
El Bond&S 291 14 1-2 14 1-8 14 1-2.
Hum Oil 3 46 7-8 46 1-2 46 7-8.
Lone Star G 16 12 3-8 12 1-4 12 1-4.

COMMODITY MARKETS

Quotations From Major Exchanges.

Grains and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain

FORT WORTH, June 4.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard, 1.72-83 1-2.
Barley No. 2, 1.04-05.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow or No. 3 white kafir per 100 lb 2.28-38.
Corn No. 2 white 1.45-47.
Oats No. 2 red 60 1-4.

Corn at Ceiling Today

CHICAGO, June 4.—(AP)—Corn was bid at the $1.18 1-2 ceiling today but other July grain futures were barely steady to weak under the pressure of commission house sales made against purchases of new crop contracts.

July wheat frequently was off as much as a cent and there was hedging against the September delivery.

Now crop corn deliveries sold at new highs for the season.

At the finish wheat was 1-8 to 1 1-8 lower than Saturday's close, July $1.68 1-8 1.68. Corn was off 1-4 to up 1 3-8. July ..1.18 1-2 bid. Oats were down 1-4 to 5-8. July 63 7-8 64. Rye was off 1 to up 7-8. July $1.14 5-8 1-2. Barley was unchanged to 1 1-8 higher. July $1.08.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, June 4.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
July ..	1.69	1.67 5-8	1.68 1-4
Sept. ..	1.67	1.65 1-4	1.65 3-4 5-8
Dec. ..	1.67 3-8	..65 3-4	1.66
May ..	1.68	1.66	1.66
CORN—			
July ..	.....	.....	1.18 1-2
Sept. ..	1.18 1-2	1.18 1-8	1.18 1-4
Dec. ..	1.15 5-8	1.14 1-2	1.15
May ..	1.14 5-8	1.13 3-4	1.14 1-8
OATS—			
July	64 7-8	63 7-8	63 7-8 64
Sept.	64 1-4	63 3-8	63 5-8
Dec.	64 7-8	64	64 1-4
May	65 1-4	64 1-4	64 7-8

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, June 4.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red, 1.77 1-2, nominal; No. 2 hard, 1.72 1-2, nominal.
Corn, sample grade yellow, 1.09 1-4.
Oats, No. 3 mixed, 69.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock

FORT WORTH June 4.—(AP)— Cattle 4,500; calves 1,800; steady; medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 12.00-14.85; medium and good beef cows 9.50-12.25; bulls 7.00-12.00; good and choice fat calves 12.50-14.00; stocker calves and yearlings 10.00-14.00; choice fed yearlings 16.00; medium to good steers and yearlings 12.00-15.00.

Hogs 600, active fully steady; good butcher hogs weighting 150 lb and more 14.55; sows 13.50; stocker pigs 14.00-15.00.

Sheep 42,000; active at strong to 25 cents higher; medium and good spring lambs 12.50-13.50; cull to common varieties 8.00-12.00; medium and good shorn lambs 10.75-12.75 with a few higher, cull and common shorn lambs 8.00-10.50; aged wethers and fat ewes 4.50-7.00 with a few choice ewes up to 7.25.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, June 4.—(AP)—(WFA)—Hogs 22,000; calves 800; receipts largest since February, largely fed steer run; choice steers weak to 25 cents lower, other grades 25 cents off; top 17.90, next highest price 17.85; heifers 15 to 25 cents lower, best early 17.25; cows very scarce, unevenly steady to 25 cents lower mostly steady to weak; bulls steady to strong, beef bulls very active, up to 15.00 and better; stock cattle scarce, firm. Sheep 10,500; shorn lambs slow, few early sales steady to weak, most bids around 25 cents lower; deck good and choice 86 lb fed clipped lambs shorn No. 1 pelt 15.10; most shorn lambs kinds of value to downward from 15.00; few head native spring lambs 15.00; bidding 7.75 down on shorn ewes.

Parents of Girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harris, route 5, are the parents of a baby girl bon June 2 at Navaro Clinic. She has been named Gaynelle. Mrs. Harris is the former Mary Louise Fluker. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fluker of Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris of Streetman.

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Cotton

Texas Spot Markets

DALLAS, June 4.—(AP)—Spot cotton 22.55; Galveston 22.56; Houston 22.54.

New Orleans Cotton Table

NEW ORLEANS, June 4.—(AP)—Cotton futures declined here today under long realizing and hedge selling. The market closed steady 5 to 20 cents a bale lower.

	High	Low	Close
July	22.90	22.95	22.95
October	22.66	22.61	22.61
December	22.58	22.53	22.52-b
March	22.48	22.45	22.43-b
May	22.43	22.37	22.35-b

b—Bid.

New York Cotton Table

NEW YORK, June 4.—(AP)—Cotton futures moved in a narrow range today as traders awaited clarification of the government cotton program for next season. Light hedging and liquidation was absorbed principally through mill covering against textile awards.

Futures closed 5 to 25 cents a bale lower.

	Open	High	Low	Last
July ...	22.95	23.00	22.95	22.96
October .	22.67	22.69	22.61	22.61-62
December	22.57	22.57	22.51	22.51-n
March .	22.49	22.50	22.43	22.43
May ...	22.42	22.43	22.36	22.37

Middling spot 23.43-n.
n—Nominal.

New Orleans Spots Steady

NEW ORLEANS, June 4.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady and unchanged. Sales 1,136. Low middling 18.80, middling 22.55, good middling 22.95. Receipts 1,691, stock 211,845.

Goings and Comings Of Fairfield Folk

FAIRFIELD, June 4.—(Spl.)—Albert Sidney Childs was in Dallas Monday.

Pvt. Pete Richardson, stationed at Camp Hood, visited his family here last week-end.

Bryan Williamson, Wiley Stroud and Albert Sidney Child were in Mexia Wednesday.

Mrs. Roger Young and Mrs. Lonnie Haydon visited relatives in Dallas Monday.

Mrs. Richard Hill and Mrs. L. J Davis spent Thursday in Mexia.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gunter of Houston spent the wekend here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Vernon Turner and Mrs. Poaul Milner of Streetman visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoit Richards and Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and Mrs. Bradley Richardson spent Wednesday in Mexia.

Sgt. Winston Whitaker stationed in California is spending his furlough here with friends and relatives.

Pvt. James E. Ivy, who was wounded in Germany, is spending a 30-day furlough here with his family and other relatives.

Ona Grace Glazener is spending the week with Rev. and Mrs. Frank Dent in Palestine.

Mrs. J. L. Kirgan and Joe Jr. of Sweetwater arrived here Sunday to make their home here.

Mrs. Joe Chavers of Houston visited Mrs. Olive Chavers here last week.

Mrs. Billie Williamson is spending the summer a Corpus Christi.

Ruby Parker of Beaumont spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Parker.

Jimmie Kirgan of Sweetwater is visiting his grandparents, Sheriff and Mrs. J. R. Sessions and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kirgan here.

Miss Bobby Helen Reed spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Reed at McGregor.

Pvt. Hubert Minchew who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., is spending a 10-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Minchew.

Mrs. Mason Goolsby and Mrs. Wilbur Black of Dalsetta visited Mrs. Alive Chavers last week.

Mrs. C. J. Robertson and children of Houston spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robertson.

Lieut. R. M. Knox of Camp Mexia, spent the wekend here with his family.

LeRoy Roy made a business trip to Beamont Tuesday.

Chief Petty Officer Tilden Childs and Mrs. Childs stationed in Florida are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Childs here this week.

Married at Court House.

Edgar F. Quigg and Mrs. Josephine Jally of Weewoka, Okla., were married at the court house early Monday morning. The ceremony was perfomed by Judge W. H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tinkle of Freeport, former residents of Corsicana, spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.



HONOR GRADUATE—Dwight A. Riley (above) of Athens, Ohio, is honor graduate of the June, 1945, class of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point. Commissions will be awarded June 5. (AP Wirephoto)

CHURCHILL OPENED ELECTION CAMPAIGN; ATTACKS SOCIALISTS

LONDON, June 4.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill opened the conservative party's election campaign tonight with a forthright attack against the socialist policy of the labor party which he said "is abhorrent to British ideas of freedom."

"There can be no doubt that socialism is inseparably interwoven with totalitarianism and the abject worship of the state," he said in a radio address lambasting the laborites, his party's principal opposition in the July 5 election.

"I declare it to you, from the bottom of my heart, that no socialist system can be established without a political police,' he said. "No socialist government conducting the entire life and industry of the country could afford to allow free, sharp or violent worded expressions of public discontent. They would have to fall back on some form of gestapo.

"Look how, even today, they hunger for controls of every kind, as if these were delectable foods instead of wartime inflictions. There is to be one state to which all are to be obedient in every act of their lives. This state is to be the arch-employer, arch-planner, arch-administrator and ruler. x x

"Socialism is, in its essence, an attack not only upon British enterprise but upon the right of an ordinary man or woman to breathe freely without having a harsh, tyrannical hand clapped across their mouths and nostrils."

The violence with which Churchill denounced the labor party's program emphasized that the gloves now were off in British politics and that the conservatives and laborites who worked together in the wartime coalition cabinet were in a bitter struggle for control of the country.

"I claim support of all throughout the country who sincerely put the nation first in their thoughts," Churchill said. "Leave these Socialist dreamers to their utopias or their nightmares. Let us be content to do that heavy job that is right on top of us."

JAP PROPAGANDISTS PREDICT BALLOON ATTACK UPON U. S.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—(AP)—Japanese propagandists predicted today the United States would be attacked in "the near future, by bomb carrying stratosphere balloons manned by death defying Japanese pilots."

The broadcast, by Japaness Domei news agency and recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said Lt. Col. Shozo Nakajima, propaganda spokesman of the Nipponese armed services, made the prediction.

Nakajima said the pilotless balloon attacks, recently disclosed by the U. S. Army, were launched against America last March 10, Japanese army day, that hundreds of them had been released from Japan every day since.

"The spokesman pointed out," Domei added, "that thus far these attacks have been on an experimental scale and he predicted that when actual results of the experiment have been obtained, large scale attacks with death defying airmen manning the balloons will be launched."

The dispatch, dated Singapore, added:

The balloon bomb is one of Japan's unique originations and it is specifically significant in that by the use of this method of bombing we can attack the enemy mainland directly from Japan—something that the enemy cannot boast of.

Nakajima complained that United States officials in releasing information about the balloons "did not divulge the extent of damage caused by the bombs.

"But we can surmise," he added, "that they are creating great havoc in the enemy country."

Domei said the propaganda chief placed the ceiling of the ballons at over "15,000 meters, far beyond the reach of enemy interceptors, and take just over 100 hours to reach the United States."

Corsicana All-Stars MeetWaco Wednesday

Corsicana All-Star softball club will meet the Waco Army Air Field team on the Cotton Mill diamond near the P. and S. Hospital Wednesday at 5:45 p. m. according to an announcement Monday morning.

The All-Stars drubbed the Mexia All-Stars, 10-2 in a game played in Mexia Sunday afternoon. Bell led the hitting parade against Limestone county club with two home runs, one with the bases loaded.

City softball league games this week include:

Monday—Goodrich vs. Willman's.
Tuesday—Goodrich vs. Royal Crown.

Urgent Appeal Wool Blankets To Treat Polio

An urgent appeal was voiced today by Mrs. McAdams for citizens to contribute all-wool blankets which are needed to properly treat polio patients.

These blankets may be left at the Health Department or at McAdams Pharmacy.

Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

A one-week moratorium on home canning sugar was declared at the close of business Saturday, June 2, according to a message received by W. A. Wright, chairman of the War Price and Rationing Board, from Gus W. Thomasson of Dallas, district director of OPA.

According to the instructions, the local board, along with all other boards, discontinued issuing home canning sugar Saturday and will make no further issuances until the start of business Monday, June 11.

Boards may continue to accept applications for the sugar, and new quotas will be established during this moratorium week.

The new quota will be sent the local board prior to June 9.

"The sugar supply situation is so critical at this time that this action must be taken," Thomasson said. "Boards who have exhausted their quota for the year cannot issue any sugar for home canning purposes until district and regional balances have been re-evaluated."

Social Revue

Charles R. Hayes, s-1-c, U. S. Navy, stationed at Dedrick, Md., visited his mother, Mrs. Dora Hayes, and other relatives here Thursday and Thursday night en route back to his base from California where he visited his wife. He was making the return trip by plane and came to Corsicana from Dallas.

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Second Lt. W. J. McKie, who received his commission in the U. S. Marine Air Corps at Pensacola, Fla., last week, is spending several days with Corsicana relatives before reporting to Green Cove Springs, Fla.

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Mrs. S. M. Woodard of Sulphur Springs visited for a short time with Mrs. A. A. Wortham on Saturday afternoon en route to Hubbard, where she will spend several days with her son, Phil Woodard, and family.

Rev. Finis Crutchfield was in Blooming Grove on Sunday morning to fill the pulpit at the Methodist church.

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Miss Ruth Sharpley of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharpley, and other relatives.

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Pvt. Wm. C. O'Neal, Camp Hood, spent the week-end with his family here.

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J. M. Scott of Frost was a Corsicana visitor Monday morning.

Fairfield Girl Weds Dew Man

FAIRFIELD, June 4.—(Spl.—Webb Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hughes of Dew, and Miss Elsie Lee Emmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Emmons of Fairfield, were married Saturday at 12 noon by the Rev. P. Coy Williams. The only attendants were Miss Darlene Emmons, sister of the bride, and Henry McCormick.

Mrs. Hughes is an employe of Hilo Store and Mrs. Hughes is employed in the county clerk's office.

Powell Boosters In Session On Friday

POWELL, June 15.—(Spl.)—Powell Boosters met at the Methodist church Friday afternoon, with 22 members and seven visitors attending. Visitors were Mrs. Nettie Robinson, Mrs. Lelia Eaton, Louise Smith, Emma Laury Smith, Lois Perry, Lovella Smity and Jessie Glenn Perry.

Mrs. Robinson presented the program, after which the group visited the sick and presented them with flowers. Mrs. Eaton will give the Bible story next week.

Mt. Zion Girl Weds Fairfield Man

FAIRFIELD, June 4.—(Spl.)—Billie Theo Glazened, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R Glazener of Fairfield, and Miss Ruby Bess McAdams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McAdams of Mt. Zion, were united in marriage at the Methodist personage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. Coy Williams performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Callie McAdams, and the groom by Wayne Newman. They are both graduates of the Fairfield High school.

Mueller Will Attend 2-Day Short Course

E. C. Mueller, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will attend a two-day short course for chamber of commerce secretaries and managers to be conducted by the East Texas Chamber of Commerce at its headquarters offices in Longview June 22 and 23.

Among those on the program are the following chamber executives: Hubert M. Harrison, vice-president and general manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce; Ed. C. Burris, Shreveport; Oscar B. Jones, Marshall; C. J. Crampton, San Antonio; Fred H. Husbands, Waco.

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to evacuate, while other Chinese battered to within seven and one-half miles of Shaoyang.

Air Support.

The U. S. 14th air force supported the drive on Liuchow by bombing supply depots and anti-aircraft positions there yesterday, an American communique said. Enemy supply lines north and south of the yellow river also were attacked by heavy and medium bombers.

A Chinese field dispatch asserted the Japanese were moving large quantities of war supplies northward along the Siang river toward the Yangtze and destroying the Canton-Hankow railroad between the junction city of Hengyang, some 60 miles southeast of Shaoyang, and Changsha, 95 miles north of Hengyang.

This would mean the Japanese were abandoning not only the corridor to Indo-China—where the gap is already 150 miles wide—but the corridor between Hankow and Hangkong, which is still intact.

Lt. Gen Albert C. Wedemeyer's headquarters, meanwhile, disclosed that an American land force, the "Mars" task force which saw action in Buma had been in China for several weeks. The unit is made up of the 475th infantry regiment and the 124th dismounted cavalry regiment.

U. S. Army Units Reported In China

CHUNGKING, June 4.—(AP)—Presence in China of two U. S. army gorund force units—the 475th Infantry regiment and the 124th Cavalry regiment—was disclosed today by Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, commander of U. S. forces in China.

The 124th Cavalry was organized as a Texas National Guard unit on March 15, 1929, and was inducted into federal service on Nov. 12, 1940. It is a more cosmopolitan outfit now, as men from all over the United States have been assigned to it.

Wedemeyer revealed that the troops, who were part of the "Mars" task force, an American combat team famous for its operations against the Japanese in the mountains and jungles of Burma in late 1944 and early 1945, had been in China several weeks and had been incorporated into Maj. Gen. Robert McClure's Chinese combat command, an advisory and liaison group.

Nearly all the men and the equipment of the two units were flown over the Himalayas from Burma to China by the U. S. Air Transport Command. A small part of the movement was over the Stilwell Road.

Col. Loren Pegg, 42-year old West Pointer, is commanding officer of the 124th Cavalry regiment.

The 475th Infantry regiment is commanded by 41-year old Lt. Col. John Walker of Blackville, C. C4

Presence of such experienced American units—the first to arrive in China as a full-fledged organization—was expected greatly to strengthen McClure's combat command.

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paign," Miss Loreta Gaillard, city sanitarian pointed out. "Even before the mass meeting you can take immediate precautions. Remove all rubbish from your premises because decaying vegetable matter is a breeding place for flies. The fly is now known as the typhoid, but it is rapidly becoming known also as the polio fly."

80 Cases in State.

Other points in the state likewise reported increased incidences of polio. Houston is facing the worst epidemic in the city's history. Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has revealed that more than 80 cases of polio have been reported to the State Health Department so far this year, as compared with 58 cases in the same period during 1944.

Warning Against Polio Infection

AUSTIN, June 4.—(AP)—Dr. George W. Cox, State health officer, today urged Texans to "bar any doorway whereby the virus of poliomyelitis may enter the body."

Dr. Cox, commenting on the rising trend of the disease reported from widely-scattered counties over the state said that science recently has "pointed the finger of suspicion to the exposed pulps of teeth" as one of the possible entrances of the virus.

He emphasized that the current outbreak has not yet reached epidemic proportions, and urged again that families and communities enforce the strictest sanitary precautions as the best known means of controlling the disease.

Reports from local health officers, which Dr. Cox said would not be completed until tomorrow, showed a total of 18 new cases of polio since May 26. There were 95 cases between Jan. 1 and May 26. These figures indicate a considerable increase in incidence, Dr. Cox said.

Re-Elect Rice Teachers

Three teachers have been re-elected for the 1945-1946 school session at Rice, it has been learned here. They are Supt. C. O. Slaughter, Mrs Jimme Bledsoe and Mrs. Nadne Baldwin.

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CITIZENSHIP URGED TO OVERSUBSCRIBE SEVENTH WAR LOAN

AMERICAN PEOPLE FACED WITH GIGANTIC JOB IN BEATING JAPS

The patriotic citizenship of Corsicana and Navarro county manning the homefront bastions, will meet the responsibilities of the Mighty 7th War Loan with a healthy oversubscription, figures released Saturday indicate. The campaign closes June 30.

A grand total of $2,300,093.25 in war bonds have been purchased to date in this county, Joe E. Butler, county war finance chairman, announced. Included in this total "E" bond sales amounted to $487,185.25 with "F" and "G" placed at $311,201. All others of the various bond series totaled $1,501,705.



County Quota

The Navarro county quota is $2,760,000 which includes an "E" bond quota of $835,000. The 7th War Loan national quota is $14,000,000,000.

Butler urged all citizens to take up their "E" bond pledges without delay otherwise if they wait too long credit will not be given on the county quota.

Urging the continued purchase of war bonds Butler said that "the least you can do to try to merit the blood expended for your liberty is to buy more and bigger extra bonds than in any of the previous war loans. There are many reasons why you should buy extra bonds but none is more important than the growing number of casualties."

Tough Fight Ahead

"The Battle of Japan has just begun," Butler pointed out in stressing the importance of an oversubscription for the 7th War Loan in Corsicana and Navarro county. "It must be backed up, paid for, fought for by free people, intent on sweeping the Pacific clear of Fascist hate—*forever*", he said.

Warning the citizens of this community that the war to crush Japan will be bigger, tougher and longer than most Americans expect, the chairman said that "the destruction of Japan's armies has not reached the annual rate of normal replacements—and the Jap, as our men in the Pacific know, fight to the death."

Face Big Job

"To crush Japan will take time, heroic effort, over-powering equipment," Butler observed in explaining the magnitude of the job now facing the American people. "Millions of fighting men—freshly outfitted and equipped—will have to be moved from Europe halfway around the globe; and supplied day in, day out by hundreds of new ships now building. More of everything will be needed. More B-29s. More tanks, halftracks, jeeps and trucks. More rockets, mortars airborne radar. A whole new airforce is in in creation—huge new bombers dwarfing the Superfortress—fast new jet-propelled combat planes, the P-80 or 'Shooting Star', coming off the lines by the thousands."

"These are just some of the 101 ways in which your dollars are needed more than ever to bring America's might to its full strength—so that we may crush our foe the faster, make an end of killing and bring our men back home," Butler concluded.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SATURDAY FOR MRS. E. A. JOHNSON

Funeral services for Mrs. E. A. Johnson, 91, who died in Dallas Wednesday, were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. John's Episcopal church. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Robert Q. Kennaugh, rector of the church.

A native of London, England, Mrs. Johnson came to Corsicana early in life with her father, the late Dr. William Lewis, an early day physician. She was the widow of the late Dr. E. A. Johnson, pioneer Corsicana druggist and IOOF leader. For the past several years, Mrs. Johnson had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Browne, 5611 Swiss avenue, Dallas.

Surviving are her daughter, six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dr. W. T. Shell, Sr.; Edward M. Polk, Sr.; Dr. Will Miller, Allyn Lang, W. Pat Brown, Abert Frey and Sid Story.

Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home was in charge.

LT. R. M. BROWN, EMHOUSE NATIVE, IS AWARDED SILVER STAR

Second Lt. Randall M. Brown of Lowell, Mass., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brown of Emhouse, has been awarded the Silver Star medal for destroping three pillbox crews at the Normandy beachhed on *D*-Day.

Lieut. Brown, given a battlefield commission shortly before he was wounded, went on to win the Bronze Star medal several weeks later.

Lieut. Brown attended the Emhouse schools, and is a native of that town. He entered the service in March, 1939, and received training with the First Division at Fort Benning, Ga., going overseas in August, 1942. He has two brothers in the service. His wife lives in Lowell.

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Bronze Star Medal Has Been Awarded Staff Sgt. Warren



Staff Sgt. Harold C. Warren, 36, U. S. Army, infantry, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for "meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in Germany, April 1-17, 1945," according to information received by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Bryan Warren, Eureka.

The citation: "As supply sergeant for his battalion during this period, Staff Sergeant Warren, displaying sound judgment, efficiency and courage under frequent enemy fire and adverse conditions, procured and distributed vital supplies to the units of his battalion in an outstanding manner which was a material factor in the success of military operations.

"The superior performance of duty, initiative and loyalty exhibited by Staff Sergeant Warren reflect hign credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States."

The citation is signed by Maj. Gen. A. R. Bolling and was issued from Headquarters of the 84th Infantry Division.

Entering the service in December 1942, Sgt. Warren has been overseas since September 1944. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren, Cisco.

Helpful Hints To Early Victims Of Poliomyelitis

According to Dr. Don W. Gudakunst, medical director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Inc., the number of poliomyelitis (infantile Paralysis) cases is running about fifty per cent ahead of a year ago. The number of new cases this year were 642 as compared with 424 cases for the same period in 1944, he revealed.

While the fact that there are fifty per cent more cases in the county this year than in the same period in 1944, "this is not an alarming situation but it should be watched carefully," said Dr. Gudakunst. The Medical Director also declared that "The National Foundation, based on its experience of assisting in severe outbreaks of infantile paralysis during the past years, is in splendid condition to render real service to medical and public health authorities in an epidemic of infantile paralysis wherever it may occur. We stand ready and willing to help the state, county, and local health authorities at a moment's notice."

As a further aid in the fight against infantile paralysis, the National Foundation is distributing hundreds of thousands of bulletins entitled "When Polio Strikes" which includes many helpful hints for parents. The following hints should be of assistance to residents of areas where poliomyelitis is on the march.

Helpful Hints for Everyone

1. During an outbreak of infantile paralysis, be alert to any early signs of illness or changes in normal state of health, especially in children. Do not assume that a stomach upset with vomiting, constipation, diarrhea, severe headache or signs of a cold and fever are of no importance. These may be among the first symptoms of infantile paralyiss. All children and adults ill with unexplained fever should be put to bed and isolated pending medical diagnosis.

2. Don't delay calling a physician. Expert medical care given early may prevent many of the crippling deformities. Proper care from the onset may mean the difference between a life of crippling and good recovery.

3. Today there is no known prevention or protection against infantile paralysis. All that can be done is to provide the best possible care. Your doctor, your health officer and your local Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis can and will do everything in their power to see to it that your community is ready to meet an epidemic.

Simple Precautions

4. Observe these simple precautions:

(a) Avoid overtiring and extreme fatigue from strenuous exercise.

(b) Avoid sudden chilling such as would come from a plunge into extremely cold water on a very hot day.

(c) Pay careful attention to personal cleanliness, such as thoroughhand washing before eating.

(d) If possible avoid tonsil and adenoid operations during epidemics. Careful study has shown that such operations, when done during an epidemic, tend to increase the danger of contracting infantile paralysis in its most serious form.

(e) Use the purest milk and water you can. Keep flies away from food. While the exact means of spread of the disease is not known, contaminated water and milk are always dangerous and flies have repeatedly been shown to carry the infantile paralysis virus.

(f) Do not swim in polluted water.

(g) Maintain community sanitation at a high level at all times.

(h) Avoid all unnecessary contact with persons with any illness suspicious of infantile paralysis.

Don't Become Hysterical

5. Don't become hysterical if cases do occur in your neighborhood. While infantile paralysis is communicable or catching during any outbreak, there are many who have such a slight infection that there are few or no symptoms. This large number of un-recognized infections is one of the reasons there is no practical way of preventing the spread of the disease. But it is also re-assuring to know that, of the many persons who become infected, few develop serious illness and that, with good care, the majority who are stricken will make a satisfactory recovery.

6. Attempts to stop the spread of the virus by closing all places where people congregate have been uniformly unsuccessful. The resulting disturbance to community life is a disadvantage. Today there is no way by which the spread of infantile paralysis can be completely stopped.

No Known Cure

7. There is no known cure for infantile paralysis. Good medical care will prevent or correct some deformities. But in about every fourth or fifth case there will be permanent paralysis that cannot be overcome. Do not believe those who for one reason or another promise to cure these cases. Be guided by sound medical advice if polio does strike in your family.

8. County Chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis are prepared to work with health officers, doctors, nurses, physical therapists, hospitals and patients. These Chapters stand ready to use their funds to assist the entire community. Know your Chapter—ask its help if needed—and volunteer to help your Chapter so that it will be able to render the necessary services.

Carrier Planes And Jap Airmen Trade Punches

GUAM, June 4.—(AP)—American carrier planes and Japanese land-based aircraft swapped punches over Okinawa and Nippon's mainland island of Kyushu during the week end, with the enemy apparently getting the worst of the trade.

Adm. William F. Halsey, Jr., who snorts at Japanese Kamikaze (suicide) planes as "just a damned nuisance," signalized his return to sea duty as head of the powerful U. S. Third Fleet by sending carrier planes against Kyushu airfields—Kamakaze bases—Saturday and Sunday.

Japan, meantime, unleashed its first strong air attack on Okinawa in five days yesterday. Adm. Chester W. Nimitz' communique today made no mention of possible damage inflicted, but said 26 enemy planes were shot down.

Admiral Halsey, absent from the Pacific fighting for four months, conceded at a flagship press conference that the Kamikaze tactics were clearly a threat but added:

"They've exerted every effort to break up the Okinawa operation and have failed. x x They're just a damned nuisance."

As for Japan's navy, Halsey said his plans called for "knocking the hell out of them wherever we find them." As for Japan itself, only "unconditional unadulterated surrender" will do.

Vice Adm. John S. McCain simultaneously resumed command of the Third Fleet carrier forces, which Saturday raided installations at Hiyazaki, Kokubu, Kushira, Naboshima and Chiran air fields, all on Kyushu, 325 miles north of Okinawa.

Again yesterday they hit these potential suicide plane bases on the southernmost mainland island of Japan.

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LT.-CHAS. WHITLOCK ARRIVES HOME ON SIXTY DAY LEAVE

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"The day I was liberated from a German prison camp was my greatest thrill of the war," Lieut. Charles Whitlock, 25, B-24 pilot, said with conviction backed by a happy smile.

Shot down over Italy Aug. 16 1943, on his tenth mission, the officer arrived in Corsicana Sunday to spend a 60-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Whitlock, 2212 West Sixth avenue. He was liberated at Moosburg, Germany, April 29, 1945. He was first held prisoner in Italy, later moved to Stalag Luft 3, and had been at Moosburg three months when the Allies finally defeated Germany.

With Lieut. Story.

"Lieut. Dan Story is in fine physical condition and looks just like he always did," the pilot stated. He was in the same camp with Story from Italy to liberation. "Dan should be home any day now," he said. "I sure want to see him."

"The officers in the prison camps received fairly good treatment from the Germans, but the food was bad," the officer explained, adding that "the Red Cross food was excellent and pulled most of us through in fine shape."

60-Mile March.

Telling of the 60-mile march from Stalag Luft 3 to Moosburg the pilot said "it was bitter cold and we were on the road three days and nights. Most of us had sufficient clothing and I think most of us made it in good shape—at least, Dan and myself did. They kept us on the move with short intervals for rest and we did not have time to get cold."

Five crew members of Lieut. Whitlock's bomber lost their lives when his plane was shot down.

Entered Service in '40.

The officer entered the service with the National Guard in November, 1940, received his wings and was commissioned in the USAAF October 9, 1942, and went overseas in May, 1943. He was stationed in the Middle East.

The officer wears ribbons for Presidential Group Citation, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster and European Theatre of Operations. He is a graduate of the Corsicana High school.



HOME FROM PANAMA — Sgt. Frank D Allen, 26, 12th. AAF Emergency Rescue Boat squadron attached to the U. S. Navy Air Forces, Panama, the past three years, is home on a 31-day leave en route to Miami, Fla., for reassignment. He arrived Friday and is visiting his wife, Mrs. Margaret Grace Allen, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allen, Corsicana. A graduate of Corsicana High School, Sgt. Allen was employed by a packing concern in Dallas prior to his entering the armed forces May 18, 1942. He went to Panama a short time after entering the army.

LOSSES AMERICAN SHIPS IN GULF OF MEXICO RELEASED

WASHINGTON, June 4.—(AP)—Before the tide of battle turned against German submarines the nazi undersea craft successfully attackued 111 ships in the Gulf of Mexico and along the Florida coast.

Some part of the story of how a nation unprepared for defense fought off the U-boat menace has been released by the Gulf Sea frontier forces.

Casualties totaled 882. The gulf sea frontier forces were credited with only two probable sinkings and two more subs seriously damaged.

Gulf sea frontier officers estimated that they battled about 34 different German subs during the war.

The navy's battle was successful in putting a stop to the sinkings. In 1943 there were only four successful attacks in the gulf. There was none in 1944 and 1945.

The Germans opened their sea war off the coast of Florida on Feb. 19, 1942, when the Pan Massachusetts was struck by two torpedoes and 20 men died. The situation grew steadily worse until September of that year. A total of 25 ships were sunk off the mouth of the Mississippi.

Navy Blimp Shot Down.

One sub shot down a navy blimp off the coast of Florida.

The gulf sea frontier command's estimate of its fighting force four days before the nazis struck was six small ships and 32 planes. Fifteen of the aircraft were unarmed coast guard observation planes.

The commander in addition had "on call" the ships from the fleet sound school at Key West and such other aircraft as might be located in the area.

The 177-day battle off the North Carolina coast cost the United Nations 27 ships—a gross tonnage of 109,785 tons. The number of U-boats bagged hasn't yet been told.

The battle of Hatters—a small part of the battle of the Atlantic—began late in January only 43 nights after Pearl Harbor. The U. S. freighter, City of Atlanta, her lights out and he radio silent, was the first to go to the bottom.

Tide Ebbs Eastward.

From then on, night after night, the skies at Hatteras were red with flames and day after day the horizon was hazy with smoke but by midsummer the tide of battle ebbed eastward.

The German raiders bagged their biggest prize—the British tanker Empire Gem, carrying 10,600 tons of gasoline—five days after the Atlanta went down. The craft exploded in the night with a great flash visible for 50 miles and a roar heard along the Carolina coast.

The Gulf Sea frontier command had a woefully small fighting force at the start, but in the Hatteras battle, the situation was better. At Pope Field, 204 miles away, a good half of the effective striking strength of the army air arm, was

Henry Ellis Haley Visiting Parents

Henry Ellis Haley, U. S. Navy, aviation radio technician, 2c, arrived in Corsicana Sunday from Corpus Christi to spend a ten-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Haley. He is en route to Stillwater, Okla., where he will take a course of instruction in the Japanese language.

Assistant Auditor.

Miss Minnie Lee Megarity assumed her duties as assistant Navarro county auditor Friday morning. E. Y. Cunningham is county auditor and Miss Mary Walker is first assistant.

Miss Megarity takes the post formerly held by Mrs. Milton J. Polan, the former Miss Fannie Walker of Rice and Ennis. Mrs. Polan resigned about two months ago.

Lloyd Sharpley, U. S. Marines, on active duty in the Pacific the past couple of years, is home on leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharpley, and other relatives. He participated in the campaigns of Guadalcanal, Guam, Iwo Jima and other Pacific points.

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STATE DEPARTMENT URGES COMPULSORY PEACETIME SERVICE

WASHINGTON, June 4.—(AP)—The state department today urged compulsory peacetime military training for the United States "because of our obligations under the world security organization."

Acting Secretary Joseph C. Grew expressed the department's views before the house postwar military committe as it opened a two-weeks' hearing on the controversial proposal of requiring a year of military training for American youths. The committee is headed by Chairman Woodrum (D-Va.)

First witness at the hearings, Grew said he came "as an advocate of military training for the young men of America," and believed "profoundly that our young men should have this training."

The former ambassador to Japan told the committee he believed "military preparedness counts in the thinking of potential enemies."

"If, during those years before Pearl Harbor our people had been able to see the handwriting on the wall, if we had been even reasonably prepared at that time, I don't believe for a moment that Japan would have attacked us," he declared.

"We must not, we dare not let it happen again," he added. "That's why we cannot afford to wait."

Grew said the young men now in the army and the navy "themselves favor military training to defend and maintain, in the perilous years that lie ahead, the liberty they have preserved."

"I believe a year's military training is necessary because of our obligations under the world security organization," he said, "because in the world of things as they are, our international policy to be effective must have strength behind it; and because my experience has taught me that aggressors are not deterred by latent superior strength but shrewdly try to obtain their ends by attacking when they consider their potential opponents unprepared and therefore at a disadvantage."

He was not questioned by committee members.

The first opposition to the proposal came from Dr. Franklin Clark Fry of New York, representing the United Lutheran Churches of America. He urged that consideration of the question be deferred until one year after the war.

Negro Receives Serious Injuries

An unidentified negro is in a critical condition in the P. and S. Hospital with head wounds received on the Southern Pacific Lines tracks between Fifth avenue and Collin street at 1:40 p. m. Monday.

K. A. Blakney, city policeman, said that the identity of the negro was not immediately determined, but he is believed to be a resident of Emhouse. Blakney said that a witness reported the negro apparently attempted to board a northbound freight train when he was hurt.

Mrs. M. A. Riley has returned to her home in Wortham following a two weeks' visit in the home of Corsicana relatives.

American Well Co. Employes Resumed Work Saturday

Work was resumed at the American Well and Prospecting Company Saturday morning at 8 o'clock following an absence of approximatetly 600 employees since Monday morning due to a contractual controversy.

Decision to return to the plant, (a Bethlehem Steel Unit) was reached by a unanimous vote of Navarro Lodge 1217, International Association of Machinists, American Federation of Labor at the union headquarters Friday night following a back-to-work order from the War Labor Board late Thursday afternoon and a supplemental order received Friday providing for the men to return to their old jobs on the same status as before the work stoppage without disciplinary action against any employee; it was said by a spokesman following the meeting.

The WLB order received Thursday afternoon came after a meeting had been held of employees on the second floor of the IOOF Building and officials immediately called the Friday night meeting to submit the matter to the membership.

G. L. Mulholland and L. G. Fenn, Grand Lodge, International Association of Machinists, representatives, were at the Friday night meeting. A U. S. conciliation service representative also spent several days here, leaving Friday afternoon.

"The union desires to start negotiations to get a satisfactory working agreement," local union leaders said, and Mulholland and Fenn said that the union had requested and urged all of the men to return to work on their regular shift Saturday, June 2.

TYSON SPEAKER FOR RICE GRADUATION EXERCISES FRIDAY

Tom L. Tyson, Corsicana attorney, delivered the commencement address for the Rice High School Friday night, May 25, when 14 graduates received diplomas. His address dealt with intelligence, patriotism, active responsibilites, horrors of war and the price of peace. Five chairs were draped with the American flag representing five boys in the armed forces from the senior class.

Others appearing in the program were Rev. Marvin Bledsoe, Nadine Baldwin, Frances Emmert, Jo Anne Hall, salutatory; James E. Cummins, valedictorian; Rosa B. Wear, Supt. C. O. Slaughter, and Jimmy Little.

The Rice graduates are James Cummins, valedictorian, four-year average of 95; Jo Anne Hall, salutatorian, average 92; Rosa B. Wear, Frances Emmert, Faye Poarch, Ouida Roberts, Jack Bradley, Jimmy Little, J. W. Fitzgerald, Melvin Ray Hill, Charles Murphy Charles Murff, J. C. Bray and James Bray, the last four in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Moore and family of Houston were here Sunday afternoon en route home following a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Moore at Frost.

FIRST CONTINGENT OF FIRST ARMY HAS ARRIVED NEW YORK

NEW YORK, June 4.—(AP)—The U. S. First Army, famed for the "firsts" it recorded in its dash from the Normandy beaches into Germany, today had another "first" to its credit—the first fighting group to send home a complete unit for redeployment to the Pacific.

Cramming the deck of the troopship Monticello, 1,453 officers and men of the First Army debarked yesterday at a New York harbor pier to the sound of whistles, sirens and jive music.

The men were among 10,000 veterans of the European struggle who arrived here aboard three troopships and four Liberty ships.

The John B. Hood, one of the Liberty ships, which brought home 350 American soldiers, displayed a gaping 10-foot hole in its bow, the result of a collision involving 14 ships off Grand Banks, Newfoundland, last Sunday when two vessels struck icebergs.

Joseph Sutton, the Hood's chief officer, said the ship was one of 96 vessels, traveling 150 feet apart, which were helpless for almost a week from dense fog.

UNSEASONABLY COOL WEATHER CONTINUES IN MIDWEST SECTOR

By The Associated Press.

Frosts which nipped tender spring Victory gardens and sent Middle-Westerners pawing through closets for winter clothing continued today in the Upper Mississippi Valley and Upper Great Lakes region. Many areas reported all-time low temperatures for June 4.

The U. S. weather bureau at Chicago said frosts in Wisconsin, Eastern Minnesota, Northeast Iowa and extreme Northwest Illinois were sufficient to damage "at least to some extent" tender vegetables such as beans, tomatoes and corn.

The lowest officially recorded reading in the nation was 20 degrees at Cranberry Bogs, Wis., and many communities in Minnesota and Wisconsin reported temperatures of around 29.

Naval Hospital for Austin.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—(AP)—Construction on a 500-bed naval hospital in Austin, Texas, is expected to start soon.

The office of Representative Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex) announced yesterday that Austin had been selected as the site for the hospital. The building will be of permanent construction unofficially estimated to cost between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000.

The site of the hospital will be within the city limits of Austin.

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Officers Elected At Meeting Of Jaycee-Ettes

Officers for the coming year were elected at the regular luncheon meeting of the Jaycee-Ettes at Kinsloe House on Friday: Mrs. David Ralston, president; Mrs. J. W. McCammon, vice president; Mrs. J. C. Roe, secretary; Mrs. Joe B. Fortson, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Lod Allison, reporter; Mrs. Embry Ferguson, parliamentarian; Mrs. F. B. Humparies, chairman of membership committee; Mrs. Billie Patrick, chairman of social committee; Mrs. Paul Mitchell, chairman of telephone committee; Mrs. Paget Marr, chairman of program committee; Mrs. Johnny McKisaack, chairman of civic committee.

Routine business included a discussion of plans for a spend the day party at Hillcrest, the McCammon Lodge, on June 13, and the square dance that is to be held in the agricultural building immediately following the rodeo on Saturday evening, June 9. Details of the dance, which will be sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Jaycee-Ettes, will be announced later.

Mrs. Embry Ferguson, president, presided at Friday's meeting.

12 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS OPENED IN BAPTIST CHURCHES

Twelve Vacation Bible schools began Monday in Navarro county Baptist churches comprising the Corsicana Baptist Association, the goal for the summer is 30. First Baptist church of Corsicana finished a school last week with an enrollment of 141. Seventeen young people, students from over the state are conducting these schools.

The schools:

Frost—Miss Margaret Wright and Miss Jenette Bullard.

Richland—Miss Alys Jeanne Allen.

Streetman—Miss Betty Jane Thedford.

Salvation Army—Nona Ruth Caffey (two weeks.)

Dawson—Miss Jane Robbins and Miss Winnie Dudley.

Northside—Miss Charline Jones.

Memorial—Miss Pauline Hoppe, and Miss Ruby Moore.

Green Flats—Miss Gladys Watts and Miss Evelyn Alexander.

Angus—Mrs. Skinner.

Rushing—Rev. Roy Proffitt.

Roane—Miss Lillie Rogers.

Calvary—Miss Margaret Puckett and Miss Betty Donnelly.

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